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Missouri In Path Of Storm

Blizzard With 75-Miles an Hour Winds Isolate Garden City, Kas.

The temperature started sliding downward Thursday evening after an electrical storm, falling gradually from 62 degrees at 5:00 o'clock Thursday evening to 36 degrees at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. The snow, however, that has been making news so many other places over the country held off until this afternoon, starting about 1:30 o'clock. The rainfall Thursday night and this morning measured .83 inch.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Rains moved into Missouri over night as the forerunner of wintry weather with prospects of some snow, strong winds and falling temperatures.

The state was in the path of the storm which left a blanket of snow in western Kansas and Nebraska. However, Missouri is expected to be spared the heavy snow and the powerful winds which whipped over its western neighbor yesterday and last night.

Rains measuring well over an inch fell in northwestern Missouri and the southeastern part of the state. Some of the heavier reports included: Fairfax 1.85; Advance 1.76; Kirksville 1.57; Caruthersville 1.57; Tarkio 1.48; New Madrid 1.46; Macon 1.46; West Plains .96; Oregon .94; Marshall .81; Sedalia .78; Lakeside .73; Columbia .49, and Kansas City .11.

Expected Snow
The weather bureau expected the rain to give way to some snow and lower temperatures later today and tonight. Temperatures tonight were expected to range from 20 in the west to 30 in the east.

The Missouri Pacific Colorado Eagle was unable to get through from Colorado to Kansas City this morning because of the heavy snowstorm. Passengers were taken care of, however, with a train made up in Kansas City, going to St. Louis. Now that people have become accustomed to the blue and silver streamliner with its diesel engine, the typical passenger train of just a few years ago looked odd as it chugged its way to the station platform, its black plume of smoke curling high in the misty air against the gray sky above. It looked so different that passengers waiting for it commented, but never the less they were glad to see it coming, nearly on time, so they could make their journey eastward.

At mid-morning Maryville reported a heavy mist with a temperature of 45. A small amount of hail accompanied a rainfall of .55 there last night.

Blizzard In Kansas
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 19.—(AP)—An early season blizzard paralyzed western Kansas today, isolating several communities and stranding hundreds of motorists. Power lines were down at Goodland, Quinter, Gorham and Colby in the northwestern corner of the state, and Gov. Frank Carlson said he presumed other cities were in a similar plight, but crippled communications blocked reports.

Garden City, population 7,000, was isolated after a 75-mile an hour windstorm piled up heavy drifts cutting rail and highway communication and severed all telephone and telegraph connections except one line.

Capt. Tom Glasscock of the Dodge City highway patrol office said he had received 500 telephone calls from motorists who have been taken into farm homes.

Railroad Picks Up Motorists
The Dodge City Globe said the Santa Fe railroad had picked up 150 motorists between Kinsley and Lakin, and estimated 800 more were stranded in that area. Many families were caught by surprise and were reported virtually foodless.

Jim Cornish, managing editor of the Garden City Telegram, telephoned an account of the storm to the Topeka bureau of the Associated Press over the only remaining telephone line in service.

All highway and rail traffic was blocked. The last train reached the city early Thursday night. The storm was sweeping to the east, due to cross the lower Great Lakes region tonight and tomorrow. Already schools were closed in parts of South Dakota and Minnesota as snow piled up to as much as 15 inches.

To date, however, western Kansas appeared to be bearing the brunt of the storm.

No Wire Service
There was no wire service available into Goodland in the northeast corner of the state, and most lines were down into Liberal. (Please turn to Page 4, Column 4)

Reinforce Marines in China



The North China Marines of the Fleet Marine Force of the Western Pacific, some of whom are shown marching through the streets of Tsingtao, China, will be reinforced by 1,250 marines from Guam, according to James Forrestal, secretary of defense. The added force is to insure the safe evacuation of United States nationals in war-ravaged China. (U. S. MARINE CORPS PHOTO FROM NEA TELEPHOTO)

Department Store Sales Have Dropped

High Prices May Be Responsible; Maybe the Weather

By Charles Molony

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—(AP)—High prices may be slowing up department store sales. Or it may be the weather, or something else. Whatever the reason fewer dollars clinked into department store tills across the country in each of the first two weeks of November than were run up in the same weeks of last year.

The drop was eight per cent in the first week of the month; nine per cent last week. That meant the actual amount of goods sold was even less—because prices are higher than they were a year ago.

Since the end of the war, department store sales have risen to a two-week high after another in Federal Reserve Board surveys. Something Rare

Declines for two consecutive weeks have been so rare officials couldn't recall offhand when it last occurred.

But these officials caution that a two-week showing is not enough to establish a definite trend. Also, there are other factors which might explain the sales dip at least partly.

One is weather. In some sections, merchants thought business was hurt by unseasonable warmth; in others, by unseasonable cold. But the decline showed up in all 12 Federal Reserve Districts blanketing the nation.

Another possible explanation for the decline, officials said, is that perhaps American consumers are returning to their traditional practice of waiting until the late hours—or even the "last minute"—to do their Christmas shopping.

Last year, as in preceding years going back into the wartime, consumers were making it a practice to do their Christmas buying early—partly for fear of scarcities.

This year, there is a good supply of most goods and in some lines—such as radios and some clothing items—stocks have been so plentiful that prices have been marked down.

But even with the new lag, sales can scarcely be called bad—they're simply not getting better.

For factory workers and many other wage and salary workers, income was still on the way up as a result of wage-rate increases.

On the other hand, farm income was commencing to edge down as crop prices moved toward lower levels.

Typhoon Causes Damage
TOKYO, Nov. 19.—(AP)—A late season typhoon accompanied by hard rains inundated 600 homes in Aichi Prefecture today, after blowing down two school buildings.

And the wire may be sent merely by dropping it in the slot of a machine that looks like the first cousin of a mailbox.

All this was disclosed yesterday to members of the press, who had been teased into attending with this announcement.

"Kate Smith, internationally known figure in the entertainment world, will unveil a scientific innovation, almost atom-splitting in its magic."

Well, sure enough, Miss Smith pulled a table cloth off the machine, and dropped in a telegram.

The machine went to work, and a picture of the telegram was sent over the wire to Surgeon General Raymond W. Bliss, congratulating him on the Army Nurse Corps.

General Bliss must have been hovering over his telegram box, for in less time than it would take to write it, an answer hustled back.

Then, Rosel H. Hyde, of the Federal Communications Commission, ripped off a quick greeting to the president of Western Union, Joseph L. Egan, in New York. Egan ripped right back.

Native of Slater, Mo., is No. 1 Marine at Touchy Tsingtao

By Elton C. Fay

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—(AP)—A husky little brigadier general who has been in many a tight spot before—like Belleau Wood and Guadalcanal—is the No. 1 Marine at touchy Tsingtao.

He is 54-year-old, Gerald C. Thomas who has fought in world wars on two sides of the world. He knows his way around in China.

Thomas is commander of the fleet Marine force at Tsingtao. That outfit now numbers 3,600 men but is to be expanded to 48,000 with the arrival late this month of reinforcements from Guam. It is responsible for the safety of Americans getting out of China through Tsingtao before the advancing Communist armies.

Native of Slater, Missouri
The general, a native of Slater, Mo., came up from the ranks. He enlisted in the Marine Corps almost as soon as the United States entered World War I. He fought at Verdun, Belleau Wood and Soissons with the Sixth regiment, and was commissioned a second lieutenant in time to fight in the Meuse-Argonne offensive.

In between the wars, Thomas moved around like all Marines—duty in the United States, afloat with Marine detachments on warships, a campaign in Haiti against bandits. In 1935, he went to China to begin two years with the Marine detachment at the American embassy at Peiping.

As operations officer of the 1st Marine Division, he prepared the plans for the Solomon Islands campaign in World War II, in which Guadalcanal was wrested from the Japanese. The Distinguished Service medal was his reward for that campaign.

Ready For Movement
The 1,250 Marine reinforcements to leave Guam aboard the transport Bayfield on November 23 for Tsingtao are members of the 1st Provisional Marine Brigade and a part of the Fleet Marine Force of the Pacific whose headquarters are at Pearl Harbor.

The Fleet Marine Force of the Pacific consists of infantry, aviation and supporting units with bases at Pearl Harbor, Guam and on the west coast of the United States. Its men are ready for immediate movement with the Pacific fleet at any time.

The Marine Corps contains two Fleet Marine Force combat divisions, the Pacific outfit and a similar organization with the Atlantic fleet.

Making Steady Progress
LONDON, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Princess Elizabeth's physicians announced today that she and her infant son are maintaining "satisfactory and satisfactory progress" that daily bulletins are being discontinued.

The Duke of Edinburgh, father of the royal prince, made his first public appearance today since the birth. He visited a private showing of the exhibition of the Royal Society of Portrait Painters.

Tigers to Meet North Kansas City

Smith-Cotton high school ends its regular schedule of football in a game with North Kansas City at 8:00 o'clock tonight at Liberty Park. The Tigers will then turn their attention to a game to be played Friday, Nov. 26, at Columbia, in the Show-Me bowl with the Raytown high school.

The Tigers are confident of defeating the NKC team and adding this game to the regular season win column. The only contest lost by the Bengals was to William Chrisman high school of Independence two weeks ago. They have won seven out of a tough nine-game schedule.

Coach Ralph "Stub" Dow has not fully decided upon his starting lineup and it is possible he may hold some of his regulars in reserve unless needed to win. He is not overly anxious to get any of the first stringers injured so they would be out of condition for the bowl contest.

However, Dow let it be known that he will not keep the boys out of the lineup if it is necessary to win tonight.

Car Overtakes, Driver Killed

ST. JAMES, Mo., Nov. 19.—(AP)—A Springfield, Ill., man was killed and his wife was slightly injured when their car overturned on Highway 66 east of here last night.

State Patrol Capt. John Tandy at Willow Springs identified the victim as Andrew J. Surratt, 67. Mrs. Surratt, 63, escaped with minor injuries.

Tandy said patrol reports showed Surratt's 1948 model sedan struck a soft shoulder a mile east of the Phelps-Crawford county line and overturned.

Christmas Trees Caught in Strike

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 19.—(AP)—A ship load of Christmas trees got caught in the longshoremen's strike today.

The \$45,000 cargo arrived from St. John's Newfoundland, but there wasn't anybody on hand to do the unloading.

The Smiling Jim Potato company, which was to receive the trees for distribution in six states, said it would try to get union permission to hire longshoremen on its own terms.

Company Manager Sol Treadwell said the trees must be unloaded shortly or the heat of the ship's hold will ruin them.

The Weather

Cloudy and colder tonight with light rain changing to snow flurries, windy, lowest in upper 20s. Sat. becoming partly cloudy, highest near 40.

SNOW
Temperature: 7 a. m. 39 degrees; 1:30 p. m. 36 degrees.
Rainfall: .83 inch.

Lake of the Ozarks: 5.1; no change.
Sun rise 6:59 a. m. Sun set 4:57 p. m.
Full moon November 16; last quarter moon November 23.

Thought For Today

God, who oft descends to visit men unseen and through their habitations walks to mark their doings.—Milton.

Truman Won Election by 35,300 Votes

Kept Contest Out Of House of Rep. By 19,043 Votes

By Douglas B. Cornell

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—(AP)—President Truman won the election by just 35,300 votes.

That's sort of a trick way of putting it, based on some "ifs" and on returns that still are unofficial and not quite complete.

On the same basis, it was by 19,043 out of a total of more than 47,000,000 votes cast November 2 that Mr. Truman kept the House of Representatives from deciding who will be president the next four years.

This is the way it works out: "If" Ohio, Illinois and California had gone Republican, Thomas E. Dewey would have been the next president.

And those three states would have gone Republican "If" 3,444 people in Ohio, 15,599 in Illinois and 16,257 in California—that adds up to 35,300—had voted for Dewey instead of Mr. Truman.

But in contrast
"If" the 3,444 in Ohio and 15,599 in Illinois—a total of 19,043—had switched, the election would have been thrown into the House. Nobody would have had the necessary majority of electoral votes.

But in contrast:
"If" 58,036 voters in Indiana, Michigan and New York had bailed for the president instead of Dewey, Mr. Truman would have won by just about the same electoral vote even if he had lost Ohio, Illinois and California. He would have needed 5,693 in Indiana, 24,696 in Michigan and 27,647 in New York.

In fact, "If" he had picked up just those 27,647 votes in New York he could have lost the other five states and still squeaked by. And "If" Mr. Truman had received the votes that went to Progressive candidate Henry A. Wallace in Indiana, Michigan and New York, he would have needed to convert only 9,643 of Dewey's supporters to have captured all three states.

He could have done the trick with 4,733 Dewey votes in Michigan and 4,910 in Indiana—none at all in New York.

The politicians figure that most of the Wallace ballots would have been in the bag for the Democrats, "If" Wallace hadn't been in the presidential race.

Here's the way it sizes up in electoral votes:
Mr. Truman needed 266 electoral ballots to win the election. He got 304, to 189 for Dewey and 38 for the States' Rights candidate, J. Strom Thurmond.

Illinois has 28 electoral votes, Ohio and California 24 each. That's 78 for all three. "If" they had gone to Dewey, the New York governor would have collected 267—one more than the required number. Mr. Truman would have had 226 and Thurmond his 38.

Would Have Gone to House
"If" Dewey had won any two of the three states, neither he nor Mr. Truman would have had the 266. So the House would have picked the new president under a constitutional procedure that gives one vote to each state.

Suppose Dewey had won Ohio and Illinois. He would have had 242 electoral votes, the president 251 and Thurmond the same 38. Now take another look at Indiana, Michigan and New York, which Mr. Truman came close to winning. They have 79 electoral votes—13 for Indiana, 19 for Michigan and a big 47 for New York.

"If" the president had taken those three states and lost Ohio, Illinois and California, instead of the other way around, there would have been just one electoral vote difference the way the election came out. It would have been 305 for Truman, 188 for Dewey, 38 for Thurmond.

"If" he had won only New York of that group, the electoral count would have been Truman 273, Dewey 220 and Thurmond 38.

While the election was decided by only 35,300 votes, Mr. Truman's actual margin of victory was over 2,100,000.

Crawled Into Bed To Die, But Didn't
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Richard N. Rudolph's determination was strong, but his constitution was stronger.

Here's how police said Rudolph, 34, spent yesterday:
He wrote a farewell note and cut his throat six times with a butcher knife. Then he lodged the handle of the knife in the wall and rammed the blade into his heart three times. He topped this by drinking a bottle of poison, turning on the gas burners and crawling into his bedroom to die.

Neighbors smelled gas, called police. Rudolph was still alive today at General Hospital.

Serums Distributed
JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 19.—(AP)—The Red Cross has distributed over 8,565 vials of Measles serum and 14,512 packages of blood plasma in Missouri this year.

Robert Clough, state relations officer for the Red Cross, estimated the measles serum was worth about \$51,390 and the plasma about \$275,728.

Forty-Year Typographical Pin To Edward P. Mullaley

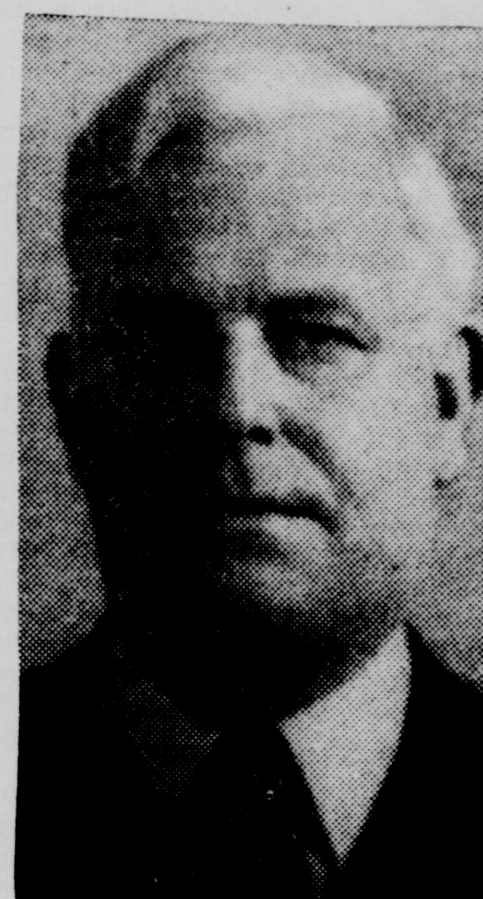
Sedalia's postmaster, Edward P. Mullaley was presented a 40-year membership pin by Lionel G. Cooper, president of Sedalia Typographical Union No. 206, in a brief ceremony at the post office, Thursday afternoon.

Local union men, who at one time were fellow workers with Mr. Mullaley, were there for the ceremony. When he received the pin, he said he had a feeling of self-esteem for the union. A number of those present were Democrat-Capital employees, who started their apprenticeship about the same time as Mr. Mullaley did in 1901.

Mr. Mullaley started out as a printer for the Sedalia Democrat, and later went to Greeley, Colo., where he finished his apprenticeship in 1908.

He came back to Sedalia and worked for several printing companies and later for the Sedalia Capital, where he was employed as linotype operator at the time he was appointed postmaster in 1935.

There are 27 members in the Sedalia Typographical Union, and 16 are employed at the Sedalia Democrat-Capital, John K. Anderson is secretary-treasurer of the local union.



Edw. P. Mullaley

Democrat-Capital, John K. Anderson is secretary-treasurer of the local union.

Must Stop Objecting To Criticism

Editorial Writers Are Told Today by Chicago Educator

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 19.—(AP)—Dr. Robert M. Hutchins, chancellor of the University of Chicago, told the National Conference of Editorial Writers here today they must stop objecting to criticism.

Speaking to more than 100 writers from newspapers in 32 states, Dr. Hutchins called his audience teachers.

"I think you are teachers," he said. "I did not say you were good teachers. Look at what you did to the report of the commission on the freedom of the press."

Dr. Hutchins was chairman of a privately financed commission which made a study of the press and freedom of the press some time ago. He said many newspapers in the United States criticized the commission's report but evaded criticisms in the report.

"To inference is that you must be doing right by your readers or you wouldn't have so many," the speaker said.

"What a thought that must be for the citizens x x x where people have to buy the papers of one owner or go without. x x x"

Comparable Argument
The argument that you must be good or you wouldn't have readers is, under these circumstances, like telling the disgruntled radio listener that he can turn to three other stations and hear commercials and programs just as bad as the ones he is listening to."

Dr. Hutchins said a university, a newspaper or any other organization must be judged in terms of its purpose.

"If the purpose of a university is to have a lot of students," he said, "then the university that has the most is the best. If the purpose of a newspaper is to make a lot of money, then the newspaper that makes the most is the best."

"But I suggest that the purpose of universities and newspapers should be to this extent the same. They should both aim at public enlightenment."

The Chicago educator said people buy newspapers for many reasons, "but they do not buy them for the editorials. They read the editorials, if at all, for amusement; they do not read them for instruction."

Killed In Truck
CORYDON, Ia., Nov. 19.—(AP)—Lawrence Hockaday, 18, of St. Joseph, Mo., was killed early today in a truck crash four miles west of Corydon.

Sheriff Nova Kelly said the semi-trailer truck, hauling beer, jackknifed, crashed through a bridge and landed in a field. Hockaday was pinned in the cab.

Kelly said Leslie Mudge, Wathena, Kas., the regular driver of the truck was breaking in Hockaday. Mudge was unhurt.

Plane Overshot Runway
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 19.—(AP)—A Capital Airlines passenger plane overshot a runway at Municipal airport today. The plane edged up on its side, but all aboard escaped injury.

The DC3 ship was en route east from New Orleans. Pilot Bill Dowdy, Birmingham, and Copilot Hank Fisher, of St. Louis, Mo., said a strong gust of wind struck the plane just as it was coming in to land.

Gettysburg Address Returns To Place of Inspiration
GETTYSBURG, Pa., Nov. 19.—(AP)—The manuscript of a speech penned by President Abraham Lincoln 85 years ago returned to the place of its inspiration today.

Carried aboard the Freedom Train, Lincoln's Gettysburg address was brought here in connection with ceremonies marking the 85th anniversary of its first public hearing.

Attorney general Tom C. Clark lent a solemn note to the occasion by comparing the present time to the crucial days of Lincoln's administration.

"Lincoln was the steady guiding light of an historic American Emancipation," the president said. "I am happy to know the Freedom Train is going to visit Gettysburg. Every American should see its inspiring exhibits."

The president sent his personal greetings to this small agricultural community, the high water mark of the Confederate army's northern march in the Civil War.

"Please convey my greetings to the people of Gettysburg and to the whole state of Pennsylvania on the occasion of the 85th anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg address," the president said.

"I am happy to know the Freedom Train is going to visit Gettysburg. Every American should see its inspiring exhibits."

Russian Demands Rejected

Proposal For Five Large Powers to Cut Arms a Third 'Irresponsible'

By the Associated Press

The United Nations General Assembly rejected today a Russian proposal to reduce by one-third in one year the armed forces of the United States, Russia, Britain, France and China.

The Assembly adopted instead a plan backed by the western powers for continuing work on arms reduction and regulations in the U.N. Commission for Conventional Armaments.

Russia's demand for immediate outlawing of the atom bomb—which only the United States is known to have—also was beaten down.

All the ballots showed Russia with six votes.

Spoke Through Representatives
The U. S., Britain and France all spoke through representatives against the Russian arms reduction plan applying such words as "almost irresponsible," "unrealistic" and "deceiving" to describe the scheme.

The United States, Britain and France all rejected today new Russian demands in the United Nations that the five large powers cut arms a third.

The United States called the plan "almost irresponsible" and a "cruel deception." John Foster Dulles said the U. S. has only 12 per cent of her wartime troops still at arms while Russia has between 35 and 55 per cent. The proposal also does not apply to iron curtain countries such as Poland, Yugoslavia, Romania and Bulgaria, which have built big armies with Russian help.

Britain called the plan unrealistic. France said it was deceiving. In the case of China, it would reduce Chiang Kai-Shek's hard pressed armies, but leave the Communist insurgents intact.

Repeats Charges
Russia's Andrei Vishinsky repeated his oft-voiced charges that the United States is building a western European system directed against Russia; that the U. S. and Britain are carrying on a "mad armaments race" against Russia; and in both countries there is a "war psychosis."

The royal families of Egypt and Iran were split by divorce. King Farouk's sister, the Empress Fawzia, the Egyptians said Fawzia's health didn't permit her to stay in Tehran. Farouk's divorce was said to have been ordered "at God's will" and that both the king and Farida were sad.

Reply Gratifying
In Palestine, where Farouk's armies had been soundly thrashed, Israel retained control of the Negev desert but asserted she had withdrawn troops which entered the area after Oct. 14, when the last fighting there began. Acting Mediator Ralph Bunche said he was gratified and that Israel's reply indicated a willingness to comply with his orders.

Paul-Henri Spaak's Belgian coalition cabinet resigned, after debate on the policy of clemency toward former German collaborators.

The French cabinet gave Premier Henri Queuille permission to ask a vote of confidence in the national assembly on the way his government has cracked down on Communist-ordered strikes. The seven-week coal strike was about broken, but it had cost France and western European recovery efforts 9,000,000 tons of fuel. Dock and merchant marine strikes were in the hopper.

Tension Eased In China
Despite the government's claim of complete victory at Suhow, most observers expected the Communists to be regrouping for another effort to open the road to Nanking.

Gen. Claire Chennault offered to organize "Flying Dragons" to fly against the Reds. The U. S. is sending 120,000 tons of emergency food rations to China's seven largest cities. American evacuation of civilians went on apace.

British commonwealth leaders predicted Britain and Eire will start negotiating a treaty next year for close military and economic alliances. The Irish were about to cut their last ties with the commonwealth.

Communist demonstrators in Beirut, Lebanon, fired on police outside headquarters of the United Nations educational, scientific and cultural organization—holding its world wide conference. Ten Communists were jailed.

Otter Chases Man
LAKELAND, Fla., Nov. 19.—(AP)—An otter chased a man around the campus of Florida Southern college today. The otter lost the decision.

The animal came out of Lake Hollingsworth at the campus edge and started after Adam Byrd, a grounds employee. Byrd took to his heels, but the otter gained a hold on a trouser leg.

Then Byrd came out swinging—a shovel. The animal finally headed for water.

TURKEY SHOOT
Sunday, November 21st
 10:00 a.m.
 to 4:00 p.m.
 West 16th St. Road
 South Glass Plant
"BIG TURKEYS"
 Ask the man who
 won one.
V.F.W. 5741 - Sedalia

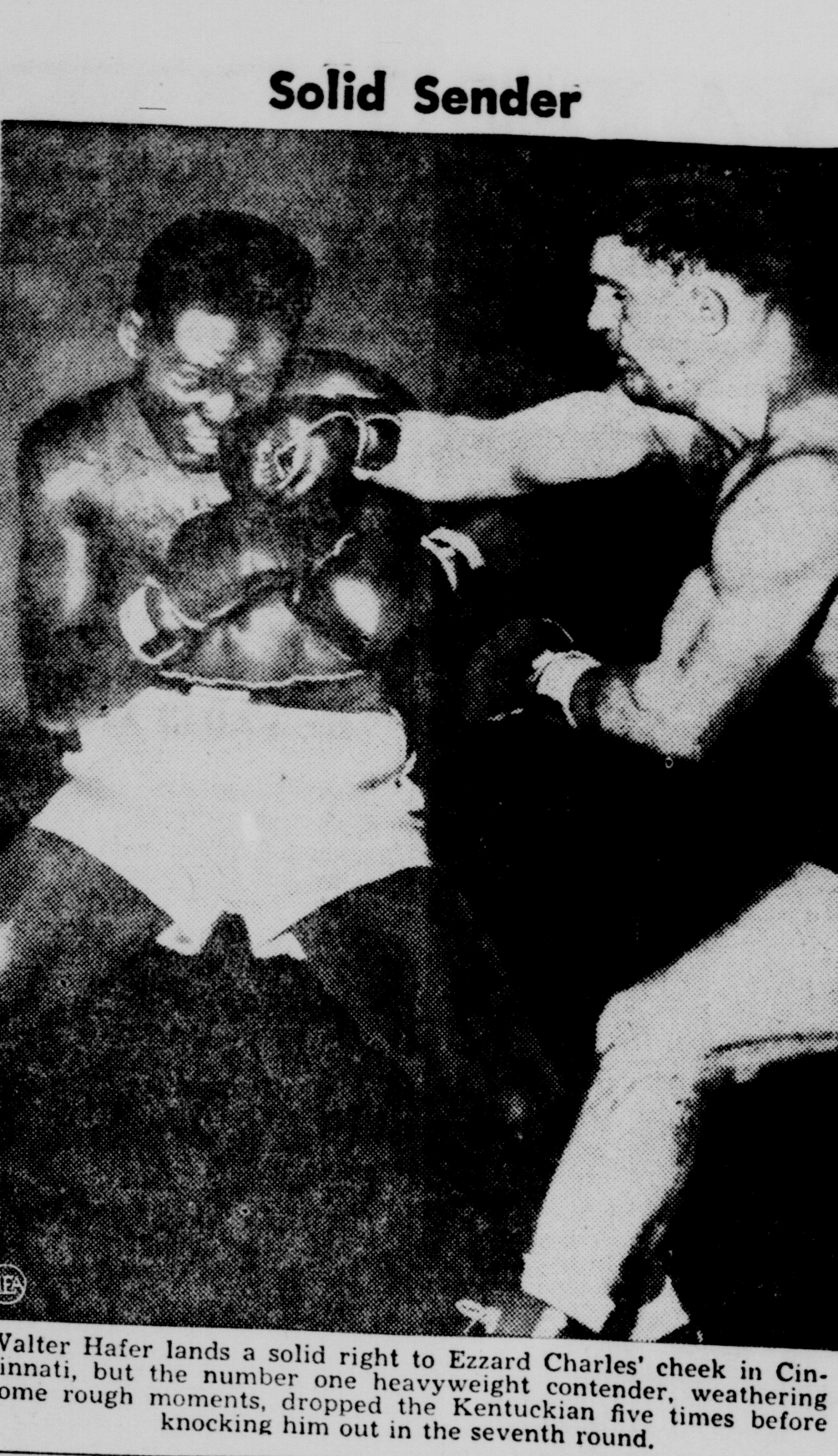
UPTOWN
TONITE and SAT.
 Cont. From 2:30 Sat. and Sun:
LADD-REED
BEYOND GLORY
CO-HIT
Johnny Mack BROWN
Gun Talk
Sat. Mid-Nite Show
ROY ROGERS
 Weaver Bros. and Elvira in
"Arkansas Judge"
SUNDAY—3 BIG DAYS
SMART GIRLS
DON'T TALK
MAYO BENNETT HUTTON
HIT NO 2
Michael O'Halloran
 SCOTTY BECKETT ALLENE ROBERTS

Missouri Team Should Win Over Nebraska

Prediction of Newsman; Other Sure-Fire Winners
 By Harold Claassen
 NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—(P)—Always remembering that money can't buy happiness, this forecaster hurries through the next-to-last list of football games.
 Last week only 12 guesses went out of 75 chances for an average of .840. That brought the year's total of 514 correct picks, 113 incorrect for an average of .820.
 Here are this week's sure-fire winners:
 Michigan at Ohio State: If pregame hysteria decided the contest this would be an Ohio victory now and no game tomorrow would be needed. The Wolverines can't go to the Rose bowl. And neither will Ohio State. Michigan.
 Yale at Harvard: Harvard's spinners will prove too much for the much-battered Seven Dwarfs of Yale. Harvard.
Names Northwestern
 Illinois at Northwestern: Art Murakowski is gaining the reputation as one of the best running backs in the country. Northwestern.
 Baylor at Southern Methodist: Baylor is unbeaten in its first six games, now has lost two in a row. Here's the third. SMU.
 Stanford at California: California.
 Furman at Georgia: Georgia.
 Washington State at Michigan State: George Guerre will make the west coast team wish it had remained at home. Michigan State.
 Dartmouth at Princeton: Princeton.
 Minnesota at Wisconsin: Those big Gophers will bring more sadness to Coach Harry Stuhldreher. Minnesota.
Tar Heel Backs Better
 Duke at North Carolina: The Tar Heel backs are better. North Carolina.
 Southern California at UCLA: Not much to choose here but the Trojans appear the stronger. Southern California.
 Oklahoma at Kansas: The teams have identical records — defeats in their opening games, then seven straight victories. But Oklahoma also has Buddy Burris, an outstanding guard. That's enough. Oklahoma.
 Duquesne at Clemson: Clemson.
 Alabama at Louisiana State: No question about this one. Alabama.
 Skipping over the rest in a hurry:
 East — Boston College over St. Mary's, Columbia over Syracuse, Iowa over Boston University.

Sedalia Plays Raytown Nov. 26
 COLUMBIA, Mo., Nov. 19.—(P)—Two Missouri high schools yesterday received the approval of the Missouri high school athletic association to participate in out-state bowl games.
 Excelsior Springs high school will play Augusta military academy of Ft. Defiance, Va., in the Orchid bowl at Chattanooga, Tenn., on Dec. 3. St. Louis Cleveland high school will play the Jackson, Tenn., high school at Jackson, Tenn., on Dec. 3.
 T. J. Noel, executive secretary, said the association permits high school teams to play in bowl games if they are held within ten days after the traditional closing date for football competition on Thanksgiving day.
 Previous approval has been granted to the Excelsior Springs-Mexico Mineral Water game at Excelsior Springs, on Thanksgiving and for the Sedalia-Raytown "Show-Me" bowl game at Columbia, Mo., Nov. 26.

sity, Penn State over Pittsburgh.
Missouri Should Win
 South: Georgia Tech over The Citadel, Miami (Fla.) over Florida, Tennessee over Kentucky, Tulane over Cincinnati, Vanderbilt over Maryland, William & Mary over North Carolina State, Washington (Mo.) over Sewanee.
 Midwest — Marquette over So. Dakota, Missouri over Nebraska, Purdue over Indiana, Wichita over Southwestern (Kas.), St. Louis over Missouri Mines.
 Southwest — Arkansas over Tulsa, Hardin-Simmons over Arizona (Tempe) State, Rice over Texas Christian, Texas Tech over New Mexico.
 Far West: Colorado over Colorado A&M, Iowa State over Arizona, Oregon over Oregon State, Washington over Idaho.
 Sunday — Loras over St. Benedict's.
Network Football Saturday
 By the Associated Press
 Michigan vs. Ohio State — NBC and MBS 12:45 from Columbus, Ohio.
 Football Roundup — CBS 1:30 third successive week of three-hour broadcast of 25 or so games some of which are given in considerable detail, including Harvard-Yale, Northwestern-Illinois, Michigan-Ohio State, Stanford-California and Oklahoma-Kansas.
 Baylor vs. Southern Methodist — ABC 1:45 from Dallas, Texas.
 North Carolina vs. Duke-NBC from Chapel Hill, N. C., five-minute summary and other detail between half and end of Michigan-Ohio State broadcast.
Fights Thursday Night
 By the Associated Press
 PHILADELPHIA — Ike Williams, 139, Trenton, N. J., stopped Billy Nixon, 142, Philadelphia 4 (non-title).
 MINNEAPOLIS — Glen Flanagan, 127½, St. Paul, outfought Proctor Heinold, 126, Oklahoma City, 10.



Solid Sender
 Walter Hafer lands a solid right to Ezzard Charles' cheek in Cincinnati, but the number one heavyweight contender, weathering some rough moments, dropped the Kentuckian five times before knocking him out in the seventh round.

Show-Me Bowl Tickets To Be Sold in Sedalia
 The Smith-Cotton Tigers will meet the Raytown high school football team for the Show-Me bowl game on November 26, 1948. The game will be played at the Hickman high school stadium in Columbia.
 Promotion and ticket sales are being handled by the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce and are in charge of Harold Seaberg, director of recreation. Those interested in obtaining information and tickets should call Mr. Seaberg, phone 40, or contact the Chamber of Commerce.
 A group of 15 to 20 Junior Chamber of Commerce members and wives of Columbia, Mo., are coming to Sedalia Friday night at approximately 7 p. m. to attend the local football game and stimulate interest in the Show-Me bowl game.
Sports Roundup
 By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.
 NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—(P)—Except for a possibly long discussion of bonus legislation, a matter which doesn't concern him much, National league president Ford Christopher Frick is looking for a rather quiet time at the winter baseball meetings next month. . . . "There may be considerable talk about the bonus rule and several amendments have been proposed," Frick admitted, "but I won't comment on that because I'm not an operator. For the league it's only a matter of book keeping. Besides, one person says this and another says that, and I don't know what is the right solution. . . . Outside of that, everybody is prosperous and everybody is happy. Nobody even wants to start a fight—but let attendance fall off four or five million and they'll start something." On that basis the minor league gathering this winter may produce the action.
One-Minute Sports Page
 Latest bowl "tip" is that it's North Carolina vs. Oklahoma in the Sugar bowl and one gent who has seen both teams says the Sooners will "massacre" them. . . . Some of the heat has been taken out of West Coast criticism of the Big Nine Rose Bowl setup since California writers got busy demanding a California-Oregon playoff for the Coast Conference.

Hot Football Races to be on Cold Gridirons

Weatherman Has Predicted Windy And Cold Weather
 By Skipper Patrick
 KANSAS CITY, Nov. 19.—(P)—Chances are that the hottest football race in Big Seven conference (ex-Big Six) history will be settled on a frigid gridiron tomorrow.
 At the best, the weather man said today, it will be windy and cold at Lawrence, Kas., where the University of Oklahoma Sooners and Kansas Jayhawks clash in what could be the titular game.
 Snow or ice, also is a possibility. But no matter what the weather might be advance ticket sales indicate the Kansas home crowd record of 40,043 set at the Missouri-Kansas game a year ago may be bettered.
 Both coaches Bud Wilkinson of Oklahoma and Jules Sikes of Kansas have expressed a desire for a dry clear day, each insisting adverse conditions would be a greater liability to his team.
Oklahoma Has Tough Line
 Kansas, co-champion with Oklahoma the last two seasons and a two-touchdown underdog for the third straight year, certainly figures to do its best on a day suitable for forward passing.
 Oklahoma, which would cinch the title by winning, has a big, tough line, but its backs are mostly light and fast.
 Both teams came up in the game in good physical condition. Kansas' great center, Dick Monroe, who was injured two weeks ago, will be ready to play, Sikes reported.
 Oklahoma sustained only minor bruises in its smashing victories over Missouri and Nebraska the past couple of weeks and there is a chance that Halfback George Brewer, star broken field runner, will be ready to go for the first time all season.
Big Game in Lincoln
 Oklahoma was scheduled to arrive in Kansas City today. Another important conference game is scheduled for Lincoln, Neb., where Missouri hopes to keep its dim hopes of sharing the title alive at the expense of the Nebraska Cornhuskers.
 Coach Don Faurot says his Tigers are in "terrible" physical condition. He omitted five first and second stringers from his 35-man traveling squad because of injuries sustained against Oklahoma two weeks ago.
 The Tigers could keep in the race for a possible tie for the crown if Kansas upsets Oklahoma. Missouri and Kansas will close their seasons at Columbia, Mo., Thanksgiving day.
Ends Schedule in Boulder
 Colorado will end its schedule against Colorado A&M in Boulder and Iowa State finishes against

Arizona in Tucson Saturday night.
 The Kansas State Wildcats water, Coach Ralph Graham is hoping the fire instilled in the Wildcats by Sophomore Fullback Gerald Hackney against Kansas a week ago will still prevail.
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Music Club's Annual Supper And Program

The annual club supper and program of the Helen G. Steele Music Club was held at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Memorial Club House with 48 members and three guests attending. Guests were Mrs. E. H. Harris, of San Diego, Cal., former member of the club, guest of Mrs. Robert Mullen; Mrs. Anna Seaman, of Oakland, Cal., guest of Mrs. R. M. Overstreet; and Mrs. Jack Ridgeway, of Cape Girardeau, guest of Miss Jerry Teufel.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Everett White and Miss Eva Evans, co-chairmen, assisted by Mrs. Marguerite O'Connell and Mrs. Frank Coffman.

The color scheme was carried out in yellow and white and chrysanthemums of yellow and white shades were used in centerpiece arrangements for the tables, with lighted yellow tapers. Programs were also in yellow and white.

The Program
The following program was presented:

Group Singing
Mrs. E. F. Vanvey, Leader

Miss Lillian Fox, accompanist
Serenade
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When You're Away
Victor Herbert

And Thanks Be to God
Mrs. Percy Metcalf

Mrs. Frank Evans
Mrs. Leonard Peabody

Trio
Miss Lillian Fox

Accompanist
O Lovely Night... Landon Ronald

Homing... Del Riego
Mrs. Homer Keith

Soprano
Miss Lillian Fox

Accompanist
Scenas Infantis... Octavia Pinto

Sabre Dance from "Gayne Ballet"
Miss Jerry Teufel

Duo-Pianists
Mrs. Duane Ewing

As an encore Mrs. Keith sang
"I Passed by Your Window," by Brahe, and Mrs. Ewing and Miss Teufel played as an encore

Brazileira from the Scaramouche Suite for two pianos by Milhaud.

Mrs. Thomas Croxton, who was unable to be present, as she is in St. Louis with her husband, who is in the Missouri Baptist hospital following an accident last week.

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Social Events

Beta Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, will hold a social meeting at the home of Miss Patty Rissler, 711 West Fourth street, Monday night at 8:00 o'clock.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Elks held its social meeting Wednesday evening at the Elks home.

Several violin selections were presented by Mrs. Archie Wilson accompanied by Miss Sally Jo Dowdy at the piano. Games were enjoyed, with awards going to Mrs. Herman Farris, Mrs. John O'Brien, Mrs. Earl Paxton, Mrs. Lester Strickler and Mrs. Frank Gambler.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses for the evening: Mrs. Tom Dugan, Mrs. William Dey, Mrs. L. E. Brown and Mrs. E. W. Brown.

On Saturday evening, Mrs. H. R. Beck of Los Angeles entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Schaeffer, their son Charles and Rhoda in honor of the Schaeffer is the former Maude McGee of Sedalia.

A buffet dinner was served to the thirty guests among them, Mrs. Ralph Merchant, the former Lucille Demeron, of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bolton, 400 West Fifth street, entertained with a dinner Wednesday night in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Mrs. Leo Burlette.

A large birthday cake decorated in pink, blue and white, with roses and candles, formed the centerpiece for the table and was the gift of her cousin, Miss Rose Semon.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Leo Burlette and daughter Sharon, Ann, Mrs. Burlette's grandmothers, Mrs. Julia Imhauser and Mrs. Gertrude Bolton and Miss Rose Semon.

Mrs. Kenneth Smiley of LaMonte entertained with a complimentary shower for Mrs. William C. Hall at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruth Price, Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

The dining room was decorated with pink and blue crepe paper.

Guests present were: Mrs. Virgil Hansborough, Mrs. Elton Keller, Mrs. Ross Watts, Mrs. Jack Glidewell, Mrs. Floyd Ripley, Mrs. Fred Scheuk, Mrs. Paul Moore and Stanley, Mrs. Paul Moore and Stanley, Mrs. D. F. Wasson, Mrs. E. D. Guthrie, Mrs. Owen Russell, Mrs. Ruth Price, Miss Margaret Gregory, Miss Evelyn Smith, Miss Lillian Rice, Miss Jean Mahin, Miss Charlotte Mahin, Mrs. William C. Hall and Mrs. Kenneth Smiley and Kathryn Mae.

Those unable to attend but who sent gifts were: Mrs. E. O. Price, Mrs. R. E. Kerby, Mrs. Raymond De Frain, Mrs. Dick Lambert, Mrs. Norman Hall, Mrs. Ralph Hollenbeck, Mrs. Mary Ellis, Mrs. Kenneth Rogers, Miss Peggy Ellis, Mrs. J. D. White, Mrs. Craig Temple, Mrs. G. H. Scott, Mrs. C. E. Terry, Mrs. John Murray, Mrs. Harold Wills and Mrs. Edwin Breshears.

Refreshments of punch, cookies and mints were served.

Alpha Alpha Chapter, Unit One, of Nu Phi Mu sorority, met at the home of Mrs. Bob Wall, 618 West Seventh street on Thursday evening. After the president, Mrs. Wall, led the opening ritual, the routine business was taken care of and plans for the Christmas dance were completed. Various committees were appointed.

The members of the club decided to organize a baby-sitting agency, with the proceeds to go to charity at the Christmas season.

Miss Mary Albertson was appointed new service chairman.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Wall led the closing ritual and Miss Almeda Albertson and Miss Rene Bohon served refreshments to six members and one advisor.

Church News

The Every Ready Sunday school class of the Smith Methodist church taught by Mrs. Grace Hyatt, met on Thursday, November 11 at 12:30 o'clock with a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Kalo Monsees with Mrs. Virgil Quint as assisting hostess.

A Thanksgiving program was given by Mrs. Euel Muschany and Mrs. Charles Juries, with a business meeting following. It was decided to dispense with personal Christmas gifts and make a happier Christmas for some veteran.

Members present besides the hostesses were: Mrs. J. S. Daniels,

Waltz into Darkness

BY WILLIAM IRISH

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THE STORY
Time, 1906
Place, New Orleans

Well-to-do Louis Durand carried on a correspondence courtship with a Miss Julia Russell, whom he has never seen. When she finally comes to St. Louis to marry him, he is amazed to find her young and ravishingly beautiful—entirely different from what he had been led to expect.

Certain behavior of hers puzzles him from the first but not until a letter arrives from her supposed sister—Miss Russell's sister—does he realize the woman he married is an impostor. Before he can face her with it, she disappears from his life. He goes to St. Louis to find out what has happened to her. He is told she has been seen on the trip to New Orleans. Comparing notes, they realize something must have happened to her. Although they are convinced of a murder, when the two men separate, Durand assures Durand that he will see him again some day.

Orleans still reminded him too much. It always would.

HE fell into the habit of dropping into the bar of one of the adjacent hotels, the Bellevue House, at or around 7 each evening for a slowly drunk whiskey punch.

On his second successive visit he inadvertently crossed glances with a man standing near him. The man invited over the three or four yards that separated them: "Will you join me, sir?"

Durand had no desire to, but to have refused would have been unwarrantedly boorish, so he moved accommodately toward his neighbor.

Their orders were renewed, they saluted one another with them, and swallowed.

The other man was in his mid-forties, as far as Durand could judge. He had a good-looking, but rather weak and dissipated face.

"You stopping at this hotel here?" he asked, casting his thumb toward the inner doors leading into the building itself. "I am."

"No, I'm over at the Rogers," Durand answered.

"Should have come to this one. Best one in the place. Maybe you'll change your mind."

"Maybe," Durand assented, without overmuch enthusiasm.

"Now join me," he invited dutifully, noting that his companion's drink was near bottom.

"Honored," said the other man zestfully, making quick to complete its disappearance.

Just as Durand was about to give the order, one of the hotel page boys came through the blown-glass doors leading from the hotel proper, looked about for a moment, then, marking Durand's partner, came up to him, excused himself, and spoke in his ear.

"Oh, already?" the man said. "Glad you told me," and handed

MAY again. May of '31 now.

A year since the marriage.

The train from New Orleans came into Biloxi late in the afternoon. The sky was porcelain fresh from the kiln; a little wisp of steam seeping from it here and there, those were clouds. The tree tops were shimmering with delicate new leaf. And in the distance, like a deposit of sapphires, the waters of the Gulf. It was a lovely place to come to, a lovely sight to behold. And he was old and bitter now, too old to care.

He was the last one down from the steps of the railroad coach. He climbed down leadenly, grudgingly, as though it were all one to him whether he alighted here or continued on to the next place. It was, to rest, to forget awhile, that was all he wanted. To let the healing process continue, the scars harden into their ugly crust. New

a boy's vitality. "We went at it the same way the men did who built the atom bomb. We sought the truth."

Not Really Skating

He developed several contrivances that have a Rube Goldberg look but enable him now to teach the average beginner the principles of skating in a single hour.

"I found that most skaters weren't really skating—they were walking. All wrong. Skating is entirely another matter. When you walk, you balance on either the heel or toe. In skating you balance on the center of the foot."

Rawson said he also discovered that many skates were too rigid, and he advocates a flexible skate that will give with the weight and follow the turn of the body.

System Entirely Free

Currently Rawson, whose researches were made entirely at his own expense, is trying to get the 4,000 rink owners in the United States to adopt his system of teaching skating, which is entirely free.

An amateur himself, he has taught thousands of would-be professional instructors here in the last ten years. He also has distributed at cost 400,000 copies of four books he has written on plain skating and skate dancing—at which he is an expert.

"The Rawson scouts are 5,000 strong—all over the country," he said with a note of pride. "They are seekers after the truth."

In the eyes of the small experimenter, who has spent scores of thousands of dollars on his hobby, proper skating is a highly serious goal. He has the boundless energy and zeal of any crusader.

Makes Skating Safe

"I want to prevent fear, falls and fatigue," he said, "I want to make skating safe and put it on the map."

"My biggest pleasure in life now is to see beginners change their style and get real joy out of skating. It's been much more fun to me than business ever was."

And then a gleam lit Rawson's eyes:

"But we've got a tremendous field to revolutionize. Ninety-five per cent of the skaters still walk instead of glide when they're on skates. And they've all got

to go through the mill. Yes, they've all got to."

Father Stack Now in Cincinnati, Ohio

The Rev. Father Wm. P. Stack, C. P. S., formerly assistant pastor of Sacred Heart church, more recently assigned to a parish in Kalida, Ohio, has been transferred to Cincinnati, Ohio, where he is assistant pastor of the Church of the Resurrection.

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41 Note of scale

42 Plural ending

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49 Yes (Sp.)

50 Italian island

51 Black (poet.)

53 Greek letter

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57 Chemical

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gratia (ab.)

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the boy a coin. "Be right there."

He turned back to Durand. "I'm called," he said cheerfully. "We'll have to resume this where we left off, some other evening."

He preened himself, touching at his tie, his hair, the fit of his coat shoulders. "Mustn't keep a lady waiting, you know," he added.

THE following evening they met again, he and the other man. The other was already there when Durand entered from the street, so Durand joined him without ceremony, since the etiquette of the bar prescribed that he owed the other a drink.

"Still alone, I see," he greeted Durand.

Durand smiled wanly and gave his order.

They saluted, they swallowed.

"By the way, let me introduce myself," the other said heartily. "I'm Col. Harry Worth, late of the Army."

"I'm Louis Durand."

They gripped hands, at the other's initiative.

"Where you from, Durand?" "New Orleans."

"Oh," nodded the colonel approvingly. "Good place. I've been there some."

They talked of this and that. And then just as Worth was about to reorder, again the page came in, accosted him, said that word into his ear.

"Time's up," he said to Durand. He offered him his hand. "A pleasure, Mr. Randall. Be looking forward to the next time."

"Durand," Durand said.

The colonel recoiled with dramatic exaggeration, apologized profusely. "That's right; forgive me. There I go again. Got the worst-all head for names."

"No harm," said Durand indifferently. He had an idea the mistake would continue to repeat itself as long as their acquaintanceship lasted.

Worth renewed their handclasp, this time under the authentic auspices. Then as he turned to go, he reached downward to the counter, popped a clove into his mouth.

"That's just in case," he said roughly.

(To Be Continued)

Grandmothers-Grandfathers Love Shopping For Christmas

The Christmas atmosphere is beginning to appear in the stores in the downtown district and standing around the toy counters are not the children, as you would expect, but the grandparents.

Grandma and grandpa aren't going to have Santa saying to them a few days before Christmas, "Sorry, I won't be able to deliver that doll or that wagon to your little grandchild this year—I just had too many orders ahead."

No, indeed. Grandma and Grandpa are right on their toes picking out the things that they want Santa to leave their little folks.

One grandma and grandpa stood looking in a toy filled window trying to pick out something that not only would please the grandchildren, but would meet with the approval of the parents, too. When mama and papa have only a postage stamp size apartment or house, some of the toys I don't fit in the house. The family might have to move some of their furniture out to make room for the toys.

Will Grow to It
Sherry is only eight months old, but grandmother was looking over a doll house filled with furniture for her. Chances are Sherry wouldn't have the slightest idea

what it is Christmas morning, but she will grow to it.

Another granddaddy had a little boy rubber doll with a cocky blue cap on the side of his head. The rubber doll squealed when you pressed on him and, said granddaddy, "It will be something for him to chew on, too."

He had another package, too, for a larger grandson. A baseball, he said, so he can break out some more window panes. He has just broken two lately.

One grandmother had been all over town, or to every store she could think of where she might find toys, and felt pretty lucky because she had been able to get her little grandson an electric train, the last one they had.

She Loves Christmas
"I just love Christmas," one woman said. "I get the biggest thrill looking at Christmas decorations and Christmas toys. I've got twelve grandchildren and I just love to buy for them. I wish I had a million dollars." She is probably having more fun than many who do have a million dollars and don't have grandchildren and if they do the grandchildren have so many things that they don't get a real thrill out of anything.

Yes, you bet, Christmas is a

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wonderful time for children and grandparents.

Traffic Cases
Leslie Hale, 1824 West Seventh street, charged with making a left turn onto Ohio avenue, pleaded not guilty in police court this morning. Following a hearing before Judge Harry O. Berry, re was found guilty and fined \$5.

Bob Angel, 2800 South Kentucky avenue, and Bob Rissler, R. F. D. No. 4, Sedalia, both pleaded guilty to careless driving on West Broadway from Osage avenue to Barrett, Thursday night. The two were fined \$15 each by Judge Berry.

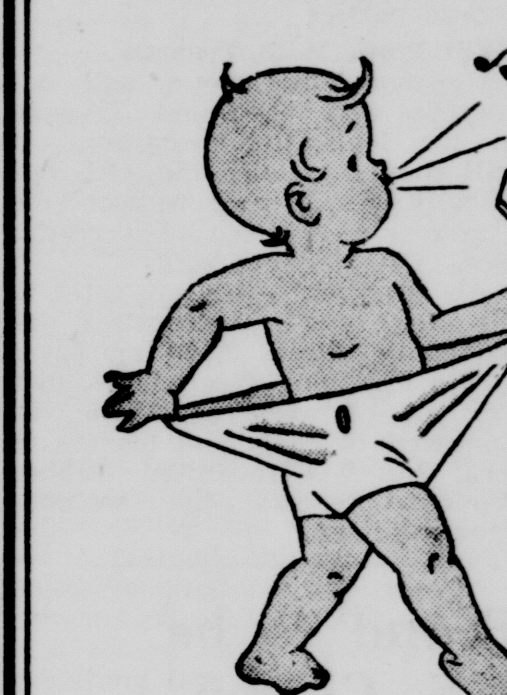
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King Farouk, Queen Farida Are Divorced

King's Sister is Also Divorced By Her Husband

By Mohamed Wagdi

CAIRO, Nov. 19. (AP)—The young rulers of Egypt and Iran have divorced the beautiful queens who bore no male heirs to the thrones.

This news came with stunning suddenness today in two communiques from Egypt's royal palace. One communique proclaimed that "God's will" that the 10-year union of King Farouk and Queen Farida be dissolved.

The other statement said the Persian climate endangered the health of Empress Farzideh, bride of Shah Reza Pahlavi of Iran and sister of Farouk, and that thus it was agreed that she be divorced.

Farouk, now 28, was married in January, 1938, before he ascended the throne. On his 17-year-old bride, Sasi Naz Sulfikar, he conferred the name of Farida, which means "peerless." She bore him three daughters.

Only Male Inherit Throne

Under Egyptian law, only male offspring of the king can inherit the throne.

The Shah took Farzideh for his bride in March, 1939, when she was 17 and he was the heir to the throne. Farouk's sister, considered one of the world's most beautiful women, was proclaimed Empress of Iran Sept. 17, 1941. The couple have one daughter, now seven. The Shah is 29. Farzideh just turned 27.

An official announcement in Tehran said the shah and his empress were formally separated and divorced because of the empress' continued illness, which forced her return to Egypt.

No Effect On Countries

Both the Egyptian and the Iranian announcements said the divorce would have no effect upon the friendly relations of the two countries.

The communique on Farouk's divorce said: "God's will ordered that the sacred relations between the noble couple be broken. This will directed the hearts of King Farouk and Queen Farida to a desire for divorce while both felt regret."

"In fulfillment of this desire, King Farouk signed the divorce on Nov. 17, 1948.

"The royal cabinet while making this announcement pray to God to prepare for King Farouk what will make the country happy."

Divorce Communique

The communique on the divorce of King Farouk's sister said:

"Two and a half years ago, Empress Farzideh was obliged to return home on advice of her physicians for treatment. The doctors then discovered with regret that the Tehran climate did not suit her majesty but constituted a danger to her health.

"It was then agreed, according to Islamic principles, that she be divorced from Emperor Mohamed Reza Pahlavi. This divorce cannot by any means affect the existing friendly relations between Egypt and Iran. The mutual feelings of appreciation between the two great rulers is the biggest guarantee that those friendly relations will increase to the mutual advantage of both countries."

The communique did not give the exact date of the divorce.

The 28-year-old Farouk was married in January, 1938—before he became king. He ascended the throne soon afterward.

His bride, Sasi Naz Sulfikar, then 17, was the granddaughter of Mohammed Pasha Said, former prime minister of Egypt.

They were married in a brief orthodox Moslem ceremony. Among the wedding gifts were two shotguns from King George of England and a tank automobile from Adolf Hitler. The wedding was celebrated throughout Cairo and a number of persons were hurt in disorders which followed.

Farouk changed his wife's name to Farida, meaning "peerless," and gave her a birthday check for \$50,000.

Have Two Daughters

Two daughters were born to the couple.

Farouk, who was educated in England, inherited a fortune of \$500,000 from his father, King Fuad. His annual income has been estimated at about \$500,000.

Empress Farzideh, oldest sister of King Farouk, was born Nov. 5, 1921. She was married to the then heir to the Iranian throne March 15, 1939, and was proclaimed Empress of Iran Sept. 17, 1941.

The couple has one daughter, Princess Chahinaz, now about seven years old, who is living with her father in Tehran.

Fifteen German War Criminals Hanged

MUNICH, Germany, Nov. 19.—Fifteen more German war criminals were hanged today.

The executions brought to 73 the number hanged in the last six weeks for wartime murders of concentration camp prisoners and American soldiers.

Since Oct. 15, at least nine persons have gone to the gallows every Friday at Landsberg prison, where Adolf Hitler wrote "Mein Kampf."

Heber U. Hunt Improving

Heber U. Hunt, superintendent of schools, who underwent an operation at the Kahler hospital, Rochester, Minn., is getting along satisfactorily, and will probably return home in ten days or two weeks. Mrs. Hunt is in Rochester with him.

THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

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Grange Acts on Price Supports

By Ovid A. Martin

Associated Press Farm Reporter

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 19.—(AP)—The National Grange convention today endorsed a system of flexible government price supports aimed at preventing future surpluses and shortages of farm products.

It took this action after defeating a proposal to continue indefinitely the present wartime support program of 90 per cent of parity.

Working to end its 10 day session by tonight, the Grange declined to take a stand on the controversial issue of compulsory health insurance.

It went on record, however, against a reduction in income taxes during the present period of "high employment and income."

The convention did not say what the range of flexible supports should be in terms of percentages of parity.

(Parity is defined by law as a price which would fair equally to farmers and those who buy his products.)

The Aiken-Hope act passed by the last Congress set up a system of flexible supports ranging from 60 to 90 percent of parity for major products, and from zero to 90 for other products.

Four Die in Blazing Closet

DIXON, Ill., Nov. 19.—(AP)—Three young children and their mother died early today in a blazing closet. Police Chief Harry Fischer said the wrists of at least one child were tied together with rope.

The dead were Mrs. Margaret E. Warfel, 31, and her sons, Richard, seven; Charles, six; and Robert, 18 months.

Fischer said Randall Warfel, husband of the dead woman and father of the youngsters, reported finding them in the burning closet. As Fischer related events, Warfel found wisps of smoke emerging from edges of the closet door in a bedroom, opened the door and saw his family huddled in the closet amid burning clothes.

After putting out the fire and finding his wife and children were dead, he went to the home of Robert Preston, Lee county coroner-elect.

State's Attorney Morey Pires said investigation of the tragedy was hampered by removal of the bodies from the closet before his arrival.

Final Pleas in War Trials

NUERNBERG, Germany, Nov. 19.—(AP)—The United States completed hearings today in the last of a long series of war crimes trials of former German leaders.

Final pleas were heard in the cases of Baron Ernst von Weizsaecker, state secretary in the foreign office, and 20 other Hitlerian diplomats. Verdicts will come down in January.

Rudolf Hess, convicted in the first war crimes trial, asked through his attorney for revocation of the life prison term given him and six other ranking Nazis.

Rudolf Seidl, his lawyer, told the Allied Control Council in an appeal the evidence was not "suited to justify a verdict against Hess for participation in planning an aggressive war."

Hess was a deputy of Adolf Hitler and third ranking Nazi until his strange wartime flight to Britain.

Critically Wounded By 'Unloaded' Gun

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Nov. 19.—(AP)—Robert Weese, 19, watch-making school student, was shot and critically wounded today when he handled his 32 calibre pistol which he had brought back with him after serving in the Army in Europe, to Herbert Norton, 29, of Corning Ark. Norton, also a student at the school, was Weese's roommate.

Weese explained at the hospital where he was taken that he had planned to trade the pistol for a rifle and he didn't know the gun was loaded. He is the son of J. O. Weese of Knobels, Ark.

Man, 96, Dies After Planning His Funeral

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Nov. 19.—(AP)—G. E. Burnaman, 96-year-old one-time stage coach driver at Dodge City, Kas., died last night 24 hours after making his own funeral arrangements.

Burnaman had been in a hospital for a week. He often recalled punching cattle on the western plains and said he was a personal friend of Buffalo Bill and various Indian chiefs.

A native of Lapaz, Ind., he came here in 1916 and for the past 25 years has operated a gasoline station.

Escaped From Hospital

James Green, county clerk, received a telegram from Dr. J. H. Morrow of St. Joseph, Mo., Thursday, stating that Herbert McKee, Negro, had escaped from state hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph. The message requested if he came to Sedalia to hold him, and notify the hospital immediately.

Green reported the escape to Sheriff Ed Goetz. The escapee was a resident of Sedalia, and was sent to the hospital from here in 1941.

Sgt. Phones Parents

Sgt. Oscar Sisemore, stationed at El Paso, Tex., called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sisemore, 1634 East Fifth street, by telephone Monday night.

Woodland Hospital Notes

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Shannon Holm, Route 3, Sedalia.

Considering Stand to Take On Hatch Act

CIO Won't Try to Form a New Political Party

By the Associated Press

It appeared today as if settlement of the east coast AFL dockworkers' strike is at least several days away.

William M. Margolis, federal mediator, said negotiations opening today probably will continue into next week.

Joseph P. Ryan, head of the 65,000 striking AFL longshoremen called upon Halifax dockworkers to reconsider their decision to unload ships diverted from New York.

Meanwhile, the number of ships immobilized in ports from Maine to Virginia increased to 200. Unemployment increased with thousands of trainmen and truck drivers laid off and industrial plants facing shutdowns.

Discuss Hatch Act

In Cincinnati, the American Federation of Labor convention considered what stand it would take on the Hatch act in an effort to lift the ban of political activity from several hundred thousand AFL government workers.

The AFL delegates were told by Oscar Ewing, federal security administrator, that the Democratic congress-elect will carry out the administration's "great social programs."

On the eve of the CIO convention at Portland, Ore., leaders said the labor organization will not form a new political party, but the CIO will stay out of the Republican and Democratic parties.

Will Work With Truman

However, the group will cooperate with President Truman in his legislative program. It will cooperate with the AFL politically, also, but there won't be a merger of the two labor groups soon, CIO leaders said.

An argument over pay rates in the stock and stock cutting departments threw 3,000 employees out of work at Akron, O. Company officials and leaders of local No. 7 CIO-United Rubber Workers termed the walkout "unauthorized."

Proud to be U.S. Citizen

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Mrs. Oksana S. Kasenkina, 35, claimed "never" today when asked if she would want to return to her native Russia.

The 35-year-old schoolteacher, whose leap from the Soviet consulate last August brought international recriminations, held a news conference attended by more than 100 reporters and cameramen.

The conference was staged just before Mrs. Kasenkina was to leave for Roosevelt hospital for an undisclosed retreat.

Her attorney, Archie O. Dawson, asked her "You wouldn't want to go back to Russia, would you?"

"Never," the teacher replied at once.

She has been recovering at the hospital from injuries suffered in her dramatic jump from the third floor of the consulate.

Mrs. Kasenkina said "I feel very, very good."

Two police officers, 10 uniformed patrolmen and 10 detectives guarded the conference. The teacher thanked them and commented:

"American police are different from the Soviet police. American police protect you. Soviet police destroy human life."

Mrs. Kasenkina declared "I have every intention of staying forever in the United States." She added she would be "proud to become an American citizen."

Chicago Grain Futures

CHICAGO, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Wheat: High 2.40; Low 2.37; Close 2.40. Corn: High 1.21; Low 1.18; Close 1.21. Soybeans: High 1.44; Low 1.42; Close 1.44.

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The Daily Washington Merry-go-Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Re-
gardless of the GOP defeat, it
looks as if the Hoover commis-
sion on reorganization of the
government was going to win out
in the end.

Created by the "second worst
congress," and sponsored by
Senator Taft's spokesman, Con-
gressman Clarence Brown of
Ohio, most Democrats figured the
Hoover commission's work would
now be junked. But it won't
and there are two good reasons
why.

One reason is Harry Truman.
The other is Herbert Hoover.
These two gentlemen have be-
come quite fond of each other.
Despite the cracks he took at
Hoover during the campaign
(which came under the head of
"campaign oratory"), Truman
really likes Hoover. And the
feeling is reciprocated.

Hoover had never set foot in
the White House since the sad
day he left it in 1933 until Tru-
man invited him back after
Roosevelt's death. The fact that
Truman called the ex-president
in for consultation automatically
shielded him from the barbs and
sting which the New Dealers had
slung in his direction for twelve
long years. No longer was Hoo-
ver their favorite punching bag.
Not only that but Truman had
brought him before the public
eye once again. And Hoover was
so grateful he even requested the
Gridiron Club to let him speak,
in order to pay special tribute
to his new found friend.

Truman, in turn, not only likes
Hoover, but plans to use Hoo-
ver's name to wrest from con-
gress powers which they refused
to give Franklin Roosevelt.
Congress Withheld Power
Truman not only wants to be
a good president, but he is
acutely sensitive to Dewey's
charges that Washington needs a
housecleaning. He has one in
mind. But he has learned, far

better than Dewey, that you can't
clean house unless congress gives
you the power to houseclean.

FDR asked for housecleaning
power, and Harry Truman, then
only a junior senator, vividly re-
calls how the Republican press
smeared it as the "dictatorship
bill" and how a Democratic con-
gress barely passed a bill giving
him severely restricted powers.
So Truman wants to use Hoo-
ver's name to put through a new
reorganization bill, and he wants
Hoover's support in lining up
Conservative Republicans to back
him.

Furthermore, Truman believes
that Hoover, like the supreme
court, has read the election re-
turns, and will not recommend
anything which he, Truman, can
not go along with. Since Hoo-
ver was also once a president,
conditioned by the White House
background, they think somewhat
alike on what is needed in the
executive branch of the govern-
ment.

There are only two living men
who have any idea of the cares
and wear and loneliness of the
presidency. This bond makes the
two men closer than party labels.
That, perhaps, was one reason
why Hoover stayed out of the re-
cent campaign, even refused to
let the Republicans get campaign
ammunition from his commission
files.

Furthermore, Hoover needs
Truman even more than Tru-
man needs him. This is Herbert
Hoover's last public service. He
has worked long, hard hours, and
he wants this reorganization of
government to be a final monu-
ment to his career. That is why
he is leaning heavily on Truman
to rescue his last efforts from
defeat. Unless Truman does so,
and gives them a Democratic
label in the new Democratic
congress, they will have no
chance of passage and Hoover's
last effort for his country, his
one chance to stage a comeback,
will have vanished.

Not Much Aid For China
Chiang Kai-shek's chances of
receiving vast new appropriations
from the incoming Democratic
congress appear pretty slim, if
energetic congressman Sol Bloom,
new chairman of the house for-
eign affairs committee, has his
way.

Quoth Sol privately to friends:
"I'm not going to give Chiang
another gun or another dollar
for war purposes until he cleans
up his own house. That Chinese
government has corruption com-
ing out of its ears — and their
so-called army is the worst of-
fender."

"Furthermore," opined Bloom,
"we ought to stop these phony
American observers who go over
to China for a month and then
come back to tell us either what
we already know about Chinese
army graft, or only what Chiang
wants us to know."

Bloom was referring to Wil-
liam C. Bullitt, who can claim
the unique distinction of having
deserted three American presi-
dents and who, having jumped
on the Dewey bandwagon, ducked
off to China before the Truman
administration could stop him.
He was appointed by the Re-
publicans — before the elections
— as an "observer."

Steel Production Must Increase
You can write it down as defi-
nite that the interior department
will ask congress to force the
steel industry to increase produc-
tion — if the industry doesn't
take the necessary steps itself.

Steel production has now drop-
ped from a wartime peak of
95.5 million tons to 91.2 million
tons annually — the only major
industry to fall down.

The reason: Big Steel compan-
ies have refused to expand. Two
Big Steel spokesmen — Eugene
Grace of Bethlehem Steel and
Charlie White of Republic Steel
have bluntly advised their
stockholders to wait until costs
come down before building new
facilities. Meanwhile, the need
for steel is increasing as produc-
tion lags.

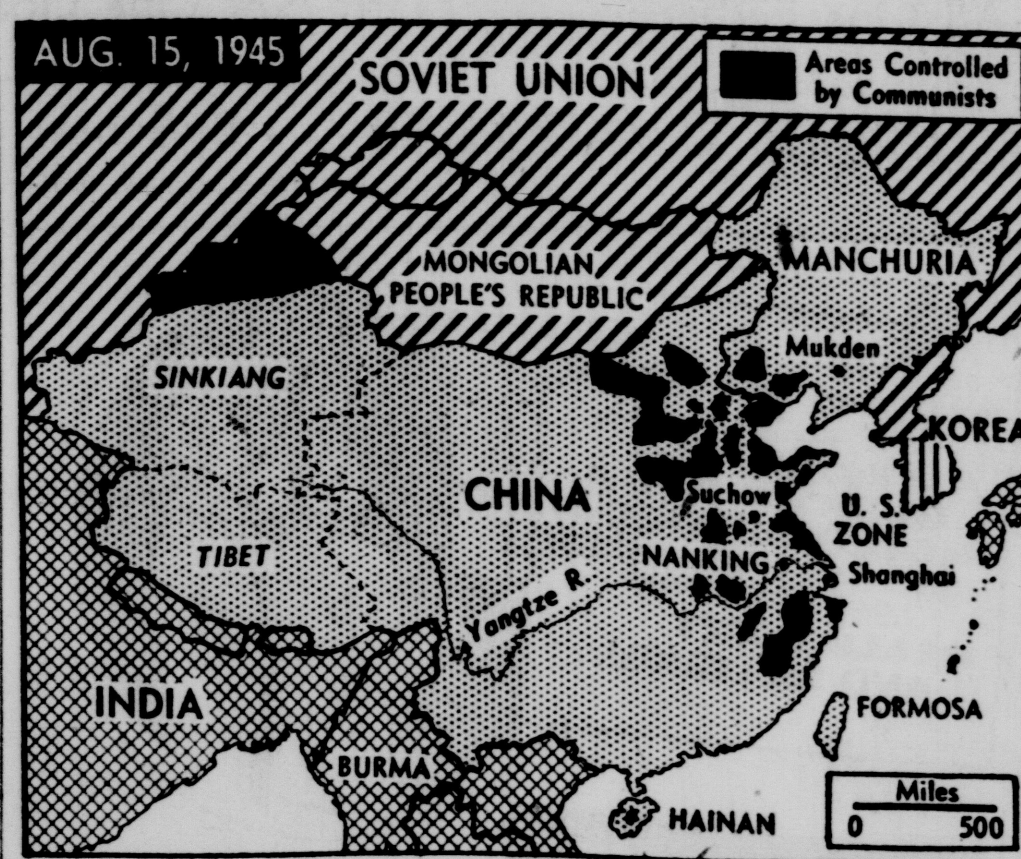
To meet the crisis, assistant
secretary of the Interior Girard
Davidson has appealed to Sena-
tor Joe O'Mahoney, who will
head the joint congressional com-
mittee on the economic report, to
introduce legislation forcing the
steel industry to expand.

Merry-Go-Round

Democratic colleagues are try-
ing to cook up a deal whereby
venerable Senator Kenneth Mc-
Kellar of Tennessee would be-
come senate president pro tem,
providing he agrees to step aside
as chairman of the appropri-
ations committee. If this happens,
able Senator Carl Hayden of
Arizona would become appropri-
ations chairman. However, those
close to McKellar doubt that the
power loving Tennesseean will
give up his seniority strangle-
hold on the appropriations post-
even to become senate president
pro tem. Insiders who got
prompt acknowledgments from
President Truman when they
wired their congratulations, are
now treasuring telegrams from
him which include the state-
ment: "We now have an unmis-
takeable mandate from the Am-
erican people." ... Conscientious,
controversial Robert N. Denham,

Red Stain Over China

The Chinese Communists' recent victories spotlight the tre-
mendous amount of territory the Reds have taken since the
end of World War II. The maps below show how they have
advanced, how they have solidified their hold on Manchuria,
how they now threaten all of northern China.



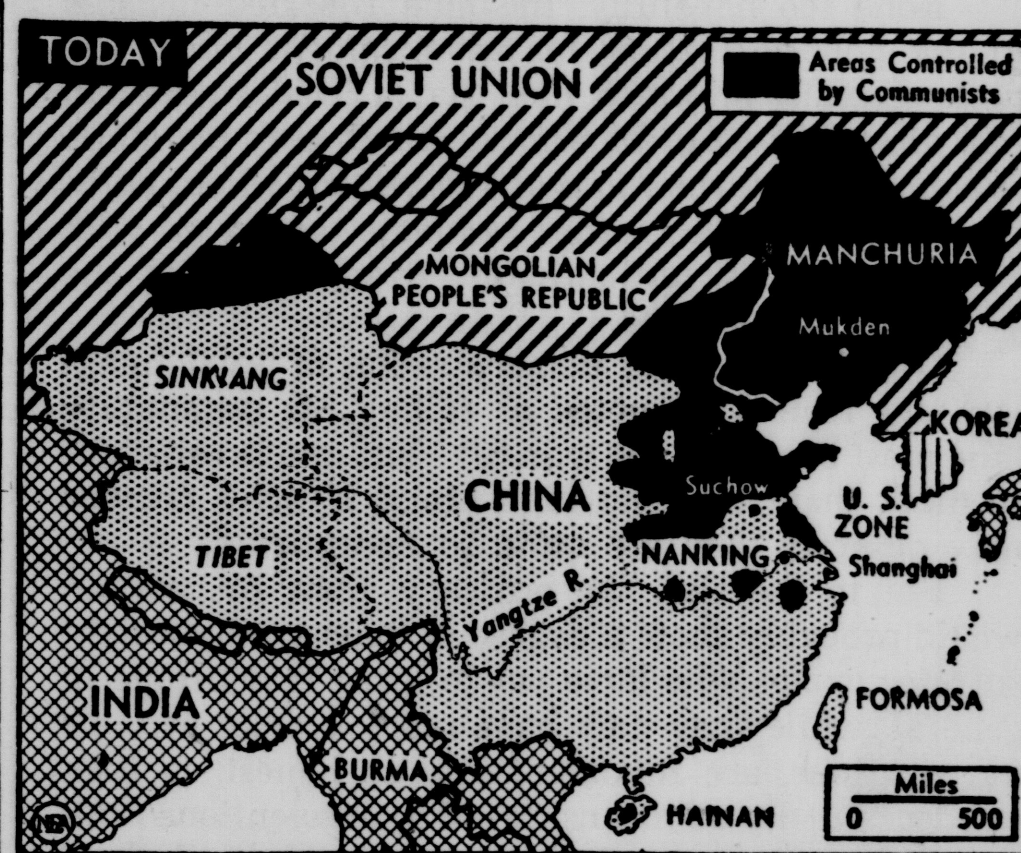
In 1945 the Communists in eastern China were spotty, con-
trolling a little territory here, a little there. They had yet to
penetrate deeply into Manchuria.



In 1946 they had swarmed over most of northeastern China,
conquered all of Manchuria except Mukden and a corridor
south. They were close to Suchow, guardian of Nanking, the
Nationalist capital.



In 1947 Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist armies had driven the
Reds back somewhat, recapturing much of Manchuria, break-
ing up their strong threat to Suchow.



Today the Red tide is again at flood level. All Manchuria is
in Communist hands. Control of northeastern China is vir-
tually complete. Chiang's future as top man in China is shaky.

general counsel of the National
Labor Relations Board, is due to
be legislated out of his job. Few
labor leaders will be sad. ...
To encourage a larger turnout
at the polls, Congressman Arthur
Klein of New York will ask con-
gress to grant a \$40 income-tax
exemption to everyone who
votes.

Ozarks Ideal For Dairying

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 19.—(P)—
A bright future for the dairy in-
dustry in the Ozarks is predicted
by John H. Kraft, president of the
Kraft Food Co. of Chicago.

The Ozark country is ideal for
dairy farming," he said here last
night. "It is better adapted than
any other. It probably will be-
come the second most important
area as far as cheese making is
concerned. Wisconsin probably

will remain the leader."
Kraft stopped here after an in-
spection of the company's plants
at Bentonville and Perryville.

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Chiang Kai-shek's Regime is Battling For Its Very Life

By DeWitt MacKenzie
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-
Shek's direct appeal to President
Truman an American policy
statement to bolster the morale
of Chinese anti-Communist forces
arises from the greatest crisis the
Nanking government has yet fac-
ed in combatting the Moscow-
bolstered Red rebellion.

The generalissimo's regime is
battling for its very life, and he
would be a hardy man who tried
to predict the outcome as things
now stand. But that being so, why
should Chiang appeal for moral
support at this critical juncture
rather than for material aid?

The answer, I take it, is that
China's need is so urgent it can
be met only by aid that can be
transmitted with the speed of a
message; it can't wait for mater-
ial assistance to be moved by
ships across the seas. Wellington
Koo, Chinese ambassador to
Washington, also made an appeal
to the state department, in which
he employed language that serves
to amplify the generalissimo's
message.

Want Moral Support

Koo said China wants an Amer-
ican expression of "sympathy,
solidarity and support." In other
words, the Chinese want to know
that Uncle Sam is standing with
them.

Oddly enough news of the gen-
eralissimo's letter arrived at my
desk in New York while I was
lunching with Peng Hsueh-Peh,
Chinese cabinet adviser and dele-
gate to the United Nations, who is
enroute from Paris to Nanking
via Washington. He had just ar-
rived in New York by air, and
one of the first questions he asked
me was what America's policy
was to be. He explained that the
morale of the hard-pressed Na-
tionalist armies might collapse un-
less they received assurances of
continued American support.

Considering Policy

I told Peng that the question of
policy was being considered in
Washington now, and that it was
expected to figure in the project-
ed conference between President
Truman and Secretary of State
Marshall in Washington next
Monday. With that Peng turned
on me with a grin and asked:

"What would your policy be?"
A question like that rather
flabbergasted me for a minute,
and I pointed out that I didn't
make Washington's policies. How-
ever, my personal feeling and that
of a lot of other observers was
something like this:

Quit apart from friendship,
America couldn't afford to see
China collapse and be taken into
the Communist camp under con-
trol of Russia. That would be
giving Moscow a strangle hold on
the Orient.

No Question of Troops

There could be no question of
America sending troops to China.
We wouldn't think of asking our
boys to fight there. However, if
I had the job to do I probably
should bolster the Nationalist
armies with a large amount of
up-to-date equipment, send China
a large number of American army
officers to supervise and advise,
and provide the wherewithal to
keep operation going.

Peng nodded, and said:
"I should make one addition.
The people of China are hungry.
They can't fight on empty bellies.
I should feed them. That could be
done by shipping in foodstuffs
from other countries."

Peng said there was no doubt
whatever that Russia was back-
ing and supporting the Commu-
nist revolution in China.

Doctors now can tell by the
sound a muscle makes when it
contracts whether it is paralyzed,
getting better or normal. The
machine, called an electromyog-
raph, that lets the muscle tell
its story in sound, is similar to
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Sunday School Lesson

Great Prophecy is Often Great Poetry

By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

The late Dr. George A. Gordon of the Old South Church in Boston, whom the late Dr. Cadman, himself a notable preacher, considered the greatest of all American preachers, once remarked that it is the quality of all great prophecy that it bursts into song. The truth of that is at least evidenced in the prophecy and poetry of the Old Testament. The prophecy and poetry alike came out of the religiously heroic era of Israel. They are intermingled. The poetry of the Psalms frequently expresses the noblest prophecy an din the great prophecies are passages of such lyrical beauty that they are in the realm of poetry.

One thinks of such outstanding passages as Isaiah 35 and Isaiah 62, Amos 3 and Jeremiah 31. Also, great portions of the prophecies are cast in forms of symbolism, more characteristic of poetry than of prose.

What, however, specifically characterized Hebrew poetry as distinguished from Hebrew prose? It is a question to which an intelligent answer can be given at a time when, in our modern literary world, poetry is less conceived in terms of the rhyming of similar word endings.

Rhythm is not identified with rhyme, but the rhythm that in our typical poetry is associated with the rising and falling of accents, in Hebrew poetry is associated with forms of parallel statements. These are of three

sorts. Sometimes the parallel statements express the same idea in different or repetitive words. Sometimes the parallel expresses contrast. And sometimes the second statement is an expansion, expressed in the first statement of the poetic verse.

Specific examples will make the nature of these three forms of parallelism plain. The poetic parallelism of the same thought is expressed in such a verse as in Psalm 51, "Give ear to my words, O Lord; consider my meditation."

The poetic parallelism of contrast is expressed in Proverbs 15:13, "A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance; but by sorrow of the heart the spirit is broken."

And the poetic development of the initial thought is illustrated in the famous "Shepherd Psalm," the 23rd, in which the forms of both parallel statement and developing thought seem to be combined. That Psalm, which has gained such a hold wherever the Bible is known, stands as the perfect example of Hebrew poetry.

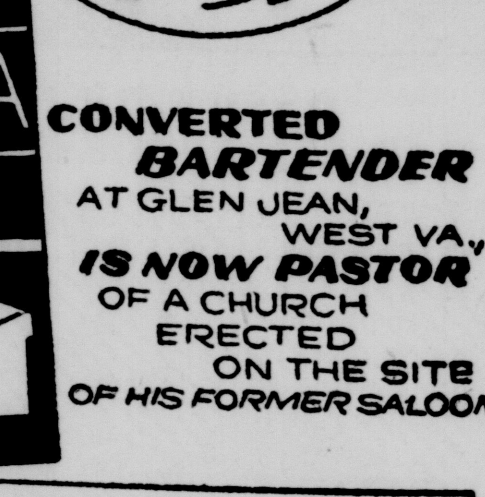
To understand the forms is to catch the rhythm and beauty of expression of the poetry of the Bible; but it must not be forgotten that Hebrew poetry is more notable and importantly instructive for what it says than for the way it says it.

It is a part of the expression of God's truth for man's life. "Strength and beauty are in His sanctuary."

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Honesty

Newspaper editors have a fondness for stories indicating that honesty is far from being a lost virtue. The taxi-driver turning over to the police a diamond necklace left in his cab by a forgetful patron gets his due measure of recognition. So does the poorly-paid clerk who brings in a fat wallet found in the subway.

Great events may be taking shape in the world, but editors can always find space for such human interest items. All the world loves an honest man.

It is often argued that nobody is 100 per cent honest—saints excepted. Rare may be the man who will not pocket the stray coin that drops from a telephone slot, or cut a few corners on income tax day. But while there seems to be a somewhat general laxity in resisting the venial sins of dishonesty, the average man and woman seem to be honest enough when a real challenge to conscience arises.

Not long ago a man in Nyack, N. Y., lost a roll of bills amounting to \$70 which was promptly scattered by a brisk wind.

None too hopefully, the man reported his loss to the police. Picture his astonishment when the desk sergeant informed him that a local tradesman had already, turned in \$35 he found near his store. Astonishment turned to real amazement when, within a couple of hours, other residents turned up with \$10 and \$5 bills, until, finally, every dollar of the \$70 had been restored.

Overcome by this demonstration of local integrity, the man was quoted as calling his community "the most honest in the world." But one is reluctant to think that, whatever high praise Nyack's citizens may deserve, they are quite so exceptional.

Put to the test, the ordinary man or woman would probably show a degree of honesty that might surprise cynics who have yet to learn that people in general, while they may have many chinks in their moral armor, are fundamentally as honest as they are decent. By all means give the conscientious finders of lost property their due, but think of them primarily as doing only what most of us would do.

Go To Church This Sunday

This Feature Sponsored by The National Council of Christians and Jews

Cox, general superintendent, will be in charge of our church school which opens at 9:30. Morning worship service at 10:30. Thanksgiving service by the minister. Mrs. Berthouex will be at the organ. There will be two special music numbers by the choir, directed by Mrs. DeLozier. Youth Fellowship at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Gospel song service, for half an hour before the minister brings the evening message. No Thursday evening service, this being Thanksgiving Day.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Fourteenth and Stewart avenues. Services Lord's day morning beginning at 10:30. Bible lesson: first chapter 1 Peter. Communion 11:30 a. m. Evening service 7:30 devoted to selected scripture reading, memory verses and singing. Study topic for the evening service is: "Temperance." Communion at the evening service for those unable to attend at morning service.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth and Vermont streets. William C. Bessmer, pastor; Miss Lillian J. Fox, director of music; Lloyd Satterwhite, superintendent of church school. Sunday, November 21: Church school classes for all ages 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:35 a. m. Memorial Sunday will be observed. Sermon: "More Than Conquerors." The youth choir will

sing: "There's a Beautiful City," by Benson. The adult choir will sing, "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled," by Meyer. Family night will be observed this Sunday, with vesper services at 4:30 p. m., to be followed by a contributive supper and program. Our members are urged to attend the Thanksgiving service at Calvary Episcopal church, Thanksgiving morning at 9:00 a. m.

EAST BROADWAY CHRISTIAN, 1220 East Broadway. Rev. J. W. Watts, pastor; Miss Catherine Garman, pianist; W. H. Swift, superintendent of Bible school; Miss Nellie White, director of choir. Bible school 9:45. Morning worship 10:45. Subject of sermon: "Singer of the Lord's Songs." The regular work night will be Wednesday night at the church.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD, Sixth and Summit streets. Bird H. Campbell, pastor; Jewell Tucker, assistant pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Carl Bellah superintendent. Morning worship 10:50. Christ Ambassadors 6:30. David Harbin, president. Orchestra concert 7:30. Evening evangelistic service 7:30. Evangelist R. Von Kemp will be speaking in both services Sunday, also the revival will continue all week. Services each night at 7:45.

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FIRST METHODIST, Fourth and Osage. J. F. King, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. A class for every age and good teachers. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon subject: "A Thankful People." Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m. meeting in the Chapel. Evening worship 7:30. Sermon subject: "More Than Conquerors."

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN, Missouri Synod, Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Rev. Walter F. Strickert, pastor; Miss Mildred Brackman, organist; Erhart Kruse, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school service 10:30 a. m. The pastor's sermon topic will be "Be Ye Ready!" All young people of the church are invited to attend the Youth Rally at Lincoln at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The congregation will observe Thanksgiving Day with a divine service next Thursday at 10:30 a. m.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST, 1019 East Fifth. Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor. Sunday school 9:30. Clyde L. Waters, superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. In the absence of our pastor, Dr. W. H. Tolliver of Kansas City, Kas., will preach at both the morning and evening services. Training Union 6:15. O. H. Lampton, director. Evening evangelistic service 7:30. Wednesday 6:45 p. m. youth choir practice; 7:30 mid-week prayer service; 8:30 adult choir practice.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST MISSION, 2019 East Broadway. Rev. William C. Smith, pastor. Sunday school 9:30. Mrs. Bert Farley, superintendent. Morning worship service 10:30. Training Union 6:15. Evening service 7:30. Prayer service Friday 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE OPEN BIBLE, 701 East Fifth street. Rev. Leo Simmons, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45. Young Peoples' overcomers 6:45 p. m. Evening services 7:45. Week nights: Tuesday and Thursday 7:45. Thursday night we will speak on prophecy from the book of Revelations.

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN, Tenth street at Osage avenue. Rev. C. Arthur Freeberg, pastor; Mrs. Elmer Fingland, organist; Leonard Englund, choir director; Elmer E. Sterling, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school classes for every age group will meet at 9:30 a. m. The worship service will be held at 10:45 a. m. Pastor Freeberg will preach on the topic, "Our Thanksgiving Psalm." This will be our Thanksgiving service. Thanksgiving services of the Sedalia Ministerial Alliance will be held at Calvary Episcopal church at 9 a. m. on Thanksgiving Day. Announcement at this Sunday's worship will be made concerning choir rehearsals.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN, Broadway and Kentucky Dr. Jean Farout, guest minister from Missouri Valley College, Marshall; T. R. Snow, Sunday school superintendent; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, choir director; Miss Dorothy Ann Reed, organist. Sunday school sessions 9:30 a. m. Service of worship 10:45 a. m. (Nursery in Primary rooms). Anthems: "Bless the Lord, Oh My Soul" Greene; "Praise the Lord Ye Heavens Adore Them" Turner Westminster Youth Fellowship meeting 6:00 p. m. Sunday.

FEDERATED CONGREGATIONAL-PRESBYTERIAN, Sixth street at Osage avenue will have Sunday school at 9:30 with Mrs. W. C. Housel, superintendent. Church services at 10:30 a. m. with Rev. Dow S. Pinkston of Missouri Valley College at Marshall, giving the sermon. Music by choir.

GOODWILL CIRCUIT of Methodist churches: Rev. Carl Opp, pastor, New Bethel, November 21: Church school 10:00 a. m. Divine worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon, children's talk, two anthems by the choir. Evening: Youth Fellowship 7:00; divine worship 7:30. Anthem by the choir. Church school sessions will also be held on Sunday, November 21 at 10:00 a. m. at the following churches: Pleasant Hill, Dresden and Goodwill Chapel. First quarterly business of the circuit on Sunday afternoon 2:00 o'clock, November 28 at the Goodwill Chapel church. Officials of the four churches are requested to have their reports ready. Dr. Bartley, our district superintendent will preside.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, Seventeenth and Harrison. E. S. Brummett, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning service 11:00. Evening service 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENCE, Sixth and Lamine. Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m. for persons under the age of 20. Sunday services.

Subject: "Soul and Body." Golden text: Psalms 86:4. Rejoice the soul of thy servant: for unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul. Wednesday evening testimonial meetings are at 7. The public is invited to enjoy the privileges of the reading room located at the same building entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00, except Sundays and holidays and so after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible and the writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at this room.

SACRED HEART, Third street and Monticau avenue. Father A. J. Brunswick, pastor. Sunday masses 6:00, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a. m. Weekly masses 6:15 and 7:30 a. m.

ST. PATRICK'S, Fourth and Washington. Father T. J. Nolan, pastor. Sunday masses 8:00, 8:00 and 10:00 a. m. Holy Day masses 8:00, 7:30 and 9:00 a. m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, 517 South Lafayette. Sunday school 10 a. m. Missionary meet 7 p. m. Sacrament and preaching 7:30 p. m. K. B. Rowlette, branch president.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST: Eleventh and Lafayette Services every Saturday morning Sabbath school at 9:45 and church at 11.

CALVARY EPISCOPAL, Broadway and Ohio. Rev. J. E. Merrick, rector. Services: 8:00 a. m. Men's Corporate Communion and breakfast; 9:45 a. m. Sunday school; 11:00 a. m. morning prayer. Mrs. Neal Reyburn and Mrs. Robert Seelen will be in charge of the nursery. The Boy Scouts will meet in the Parish Hall on Wednesday at 7:15 p. m. Choir practice will be held on Wednesday at 7 p. m. The United Thanksgiving service will be held on Thursday at 9:00 a. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN, Seventh and Massachusetts. Bible school 9:30. Virgil Herrick, superintendent. Morning worship and communion 10:40. Dean Carl Agee of Columbia, guest minister; Mrs. H. O. Foraker, director of music; Mrs. M. O. Stevens and Mrs. J. Carl Oswald will sing the duet: "Consider the Lilies" by Topliff. Anthem: "Thanks Be To God" Dickinson, choir.

LONGWOOD METHODIST: Sunday school at 10 o'clock. J. W. Greer, superintendent. Church services at 11 o'clock Community Thanksgiving dinner Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock Irwin Raut, lay pastor.

HOUSTONIA METHODIST: Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Walter Wenecke, superintendent. Quarterly conference of Houstonia-Longwood circuit at 7:30 p. m. District Superintendent E. W. Bartley will be in charge. Irwin Raut, lay pastor.

CALVARY BAPTIST, Broadway and Monticau, Morgan R. Beach, pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. B. B. Bradley, superintendent; Ralph Reed, associate. Morning worship 10:45. Sermon by the pastor. B. T. U. 6:16 p. m. Mrs. E. H. Schumaker, director; Mrs. Pat Pummill, associate. Evening worship 7:30. Sermon by pastor. Quarterly W. M. U. meeting Monday evening 7:30. Training Union social Tuesday evening 7:30 at the church. Prayer meeting and adult choir practice Wednesday evening 7:30. W. Townner, directing; Miss Dorothy Towner, pianist. Lottie Moon week of prayer for foreign missions, the Lindsey circle will meet Monday and Wednesday afternoons, November 29 and December 1, and the Business Woman's and Lindsey circles will meet Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings in a combined program. The Willing Worker G. A.'s and the Taylor R. A.'s will meet this afternoon after school.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST, Fifth and Osage streets. H. U. Campbell, D. D., minister. Church school 9:30 a. m. Merle Vaughan, superintendent. Six adult classes, one young people's, one intermediate, three juniors, three primaries, classes for beginners and nursery. Morning worship 10:30. Mrs. Mae Moser, organist, will play: "In Heavenly Peace" by Roberts, and "Poeme" by Fiebig. Anthem by the choir directed by Miss Geraldine Teufel. Guest soloist Mrs. William Ward. Sermon, "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" by the minister. Methodist Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m. with Carol Lance in charge. Sunday evening service 7:30. The time will be given to a discussion of "Our Building Program" — When to build? What to build? Where to build? Heads of all organizations and class representatives should be present. We will cooperate in the Union Thanksgiving service at the Calvary Episcopal church, Thursday, November 25, 9:00 a. m.

EPWORTH METHODIST, Broadway at Engineer street. Ralph Hurd, the minister; O. R.

Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Service of Worship 10:45 a. m. Westminster Youth Fellowship 6:00 p. m. Broadway Presbyterian Church Broadway Avenue at Kentucky.

"Oh give thanks unto Jehovah, for He is good, for His loving kindness endureth forever." (Psalm 118:1)

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Miss Iva Neptune of Appleton City was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norcross over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Barker spent the week end with relatives in Webb City.

The 102 Contract Bridge Club was entertained Tuesday evening by Mrs. William Johnson. A dessert course was served preceding the games. Mrs. Matt Acker received high score for the members and Mrs. Glen Whitworth for the guests. Mrs. Henry Dial was also a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. George Steincross of Harwood spent several days last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ben Campbell, Jr., and on Thursday accompanied by Mrs. Campbell, they visited another daughter, Mrs. Irvin Mayberry, in Hamilton.

For Ambulance Service, Ph 8

No. 9857
Administratrix Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Arlie Hubbard, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 29th day of October, 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administratrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 4th day of November, 1948.
LILLIAN HUBBARD, Administratrix.
Attested by me this 4th day of November, 1948.
J. E. SMITH, Judge of Probate Court.
11-12, 11-19, 11-26, 12-3.

No. 9868
EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE
Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Elizabeth G. Bower, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 29th day of October, 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 29th day of October, 1948.
MARY B. BROADBENT, Executrix.
Attested by me this 30th day of October, 1948.
J. E. SMITH, Judge of Probate Court.
11-5, 11-12, 11-19, 11-26

Number 9865
Notice of Administratrix Will Annexed

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, on the Estate of Mar. Ann Dunlap, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of October 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 12th day of October 1948.
WILLIAM E. SEELIN, Administrator with Will Annexed
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White House Puzzle---What Keeps up the Balcony?

Trumans to Move While They Make Second Floor Strong as New Porch

By Douglas Larsen
NEA Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON — (NEA) — A good second floor balcony isn't any good if the second floor isn't any good.
And that's why the Truman family is moving across the street. It all started when the President thought it might be nice to have a balcony on the White House. He just wanted to do what a couple of million other Americans do of a summer evening, relax on the back porch. So what

if his back porch had to be a \$50,000 balcony? He's the President, isn't he?
Some people objected to the idea, but the President is a persistent man and pretty soon the carpenters were all over the place. Putting up scaffolds. Pounding. Hammering. Ripping out windows. Cutting holes for doors.
The said old mansion hadn't had such rough treatment since old Andrew Jackson's parties. The strain apparently was the straw that broke the camel's back.
One morning when the First Lady was on one of her inspection tours, she noticed that the second-story floor sagged about two inches below the wall. She reported it through channels to the Public Buildings Administration.

A few days later Margaret noticed that one of the legs of a piano had quietly settled about a foot into the floor. She also dropped this information into the hopper for PBA.
Then the President, staring moodily at the ceiling one night in his second-floor study, noticed that one of the chandeliers appeared to be defying gravity at an angle of 10 degrees. Another memo to PBA.
Other strange phenomena was observed by the servants. Round objects rolled off flat tables

Today It's Hell; Monday It Will Be Heaven

In Italy, Putting Faust on Film Is 'Sensational' But Not Opera



In a movie-set hell in Italy, Choreographer Carletto Tibben of La Scala Opera directs a Viennese ballet group in a scene for the Legend of Faust. It frightened the film's star.

By NEA Foreign Service

ROME, Italy—(NEA)—Producer Gregor Rabinovitch smacked his lips over a well-sugared melon, coiled his tongue for an oral effort in English, and confided that he would make no movies with sophisticated music, but he said the operas he is filming in Italy would be sensational (sic) just the same.
"Look," he said. "Shakespeare—he is now a hit! Broadway, it's hits too. Why not music, why not opera?" He poured three packets of sugar into his coffee.
"But," he wagged a finger, "we are not now filming opera. We are telling stories from opera, and we use music when we get to so we can tell the story better."

Rabinovitch, for 26 years a movie producer in Europe and America, enthusiastically developed his ideas for bringing fine music to the general public and making them like it. He conceded that such pictures had rarely succeeded before. But he thought it could be done by making the movie first of all tell a story which people would pay to see. The fine music would be introduced casually, until audiences in the habit of rejecting anything smoother than boogie woogie would unconsciously learn to understand and appreciate it.

In dine with this idea the Russian-born producer is using Columbia Pictures' funds blocked in Italy no a series of films depicting great musical shows. Already on screens in the United States is 'La Boheme' which is canned and ready for release. The Legend of Faust, now being filmed, is the most ambitious of the series thus far. Projected are Tales of Hoffman and Aida.

The story of Faust will be based on the famous drama by Johann Goethe and music will be introduced only where Goethe's original play called for it. The music will be selected from the three greatest Faustian operas, Mephistopheles by Italian Arrigo Boito, The Damnation of Faust by

Frenchman Louis Hector Berlioz, and The Redemption, by Charles Francis Gounod, also French.
"Opera should lend itself to movies," said Rabinovitch as he led a visitor over the set. "Even on the big outdoor operatic stages of Italy there is not room enough for the sweep of fine musical dramas like Faust or Aida. With cameras we can go everywhere—in this picture we cover the world and go from hell to heaven. Here, I'll show you."

The story of Faust is known to all music lovers. Faust, in return for youth and virility, sells his soul to the Devil, seduces a pretty girl and causes her to kill her child, then repents of his deal with Satan.

An Italian movie set is like any other except that improvisation is more necessary here than in Hollywood. Everything is done as cheaply as possible in Italy. Extras work for 800 to 1900 lire (about \$1.50 to \$3.75) a day and the average movie budget is only 40,000,000 lire (about \$70,000). Faust will cost \$600,000.

"Here is the world Faust and the Devil soar over," said Rabinovitch, pointing to a carefully-modeled countryside. "And in here we are filming hell, while up on that rock the Devil shows Faust his domain. Monday this set will be heaven."

Faust, who is Italian tenor Gino Matarra, and baritone Italo Tajo, who plays the Devil, watched the scene of hell from the fog-shrouded heights to one side. Soprano Nell Corradi, who in the film is the girl Faust seduces, refused to watch it. She said the costumed people in hell frightened her.
"My mother cradled me in an upright piano so I would grow to

love music," she said, "but she neglected to prepare me for working in a scene like this."

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President's back porch: Was it the straw that almost broke the second floor of the White House?

Loud creaking noises sometimes woke up all the occupants of the executive mansion. Pictures began to hang at peculiar angles.

A month or so later when the flow of information through the channels reached PBA Commissioner W. E. Reynolds, a "program of action was immediately implemented." Reynolds decided to in-



White House piano: Margaret discovered one with its foot through the floor.

vestigate. What he discovered shocked him. The White House, literally, was losing its second floor. A check of the records revealed that when the building had had its last major overhauling in 1901, somehow the second floor had been completely ignored. Succeeding "improvements" only served to weaken it more.

When new electrical wiring was installed the electricians just drilled holes through the supporting beams. The plumbers drilled more holes through the beams when they put in a new heating system. Then more holes for a communications system and still more for a ventilating system.

As Reynolds puts it, "the second-floor supports probably look more like Swiss cheese than they do wood."

In addition to becoming dangerously weak, the wood had dried out, making the White House a real fire trap.
When the sad shape of the second floor was reported to the President he decided to take a few precautions for the safety of his family, himself and the staff, but not to do anything drastic until after election. Fire-fighting apparatus was increased and only 15 persons at one time were permitted in the President's second-floor study.

He did get out on the balcony a couple of times, however.
Now PBA is handling the problem with typical government thoroughness. A careful survey, at a cost of \$50,000, is being made to determine how much the remodeling job is going to cost. When this is done an estimate will be handed to Congress.

Commissioner Reynolds admits that the final cost might come to \$1 million. That would be a de luxe job, including the installation of all-steel beams plus cleaning up after the carpenters.

In about 1950, Reynolds estimates, the President will have a second floor every bit as good as the second floor balcony.



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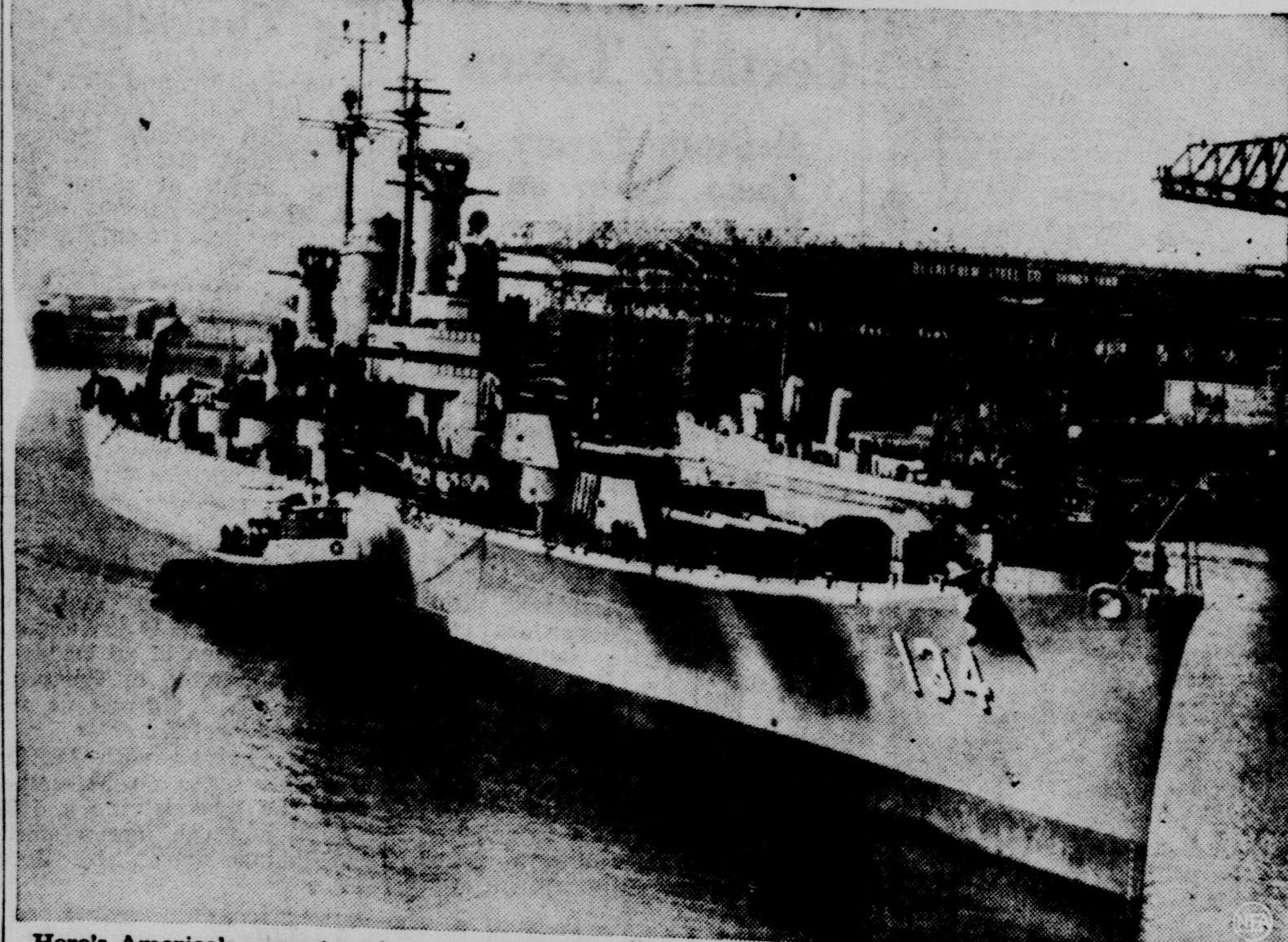
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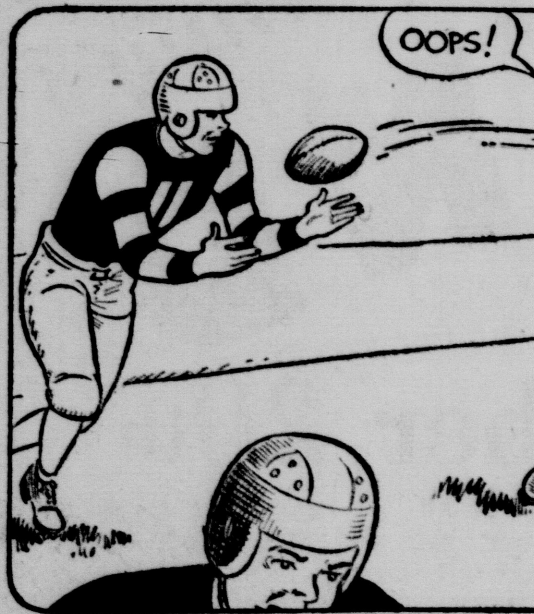
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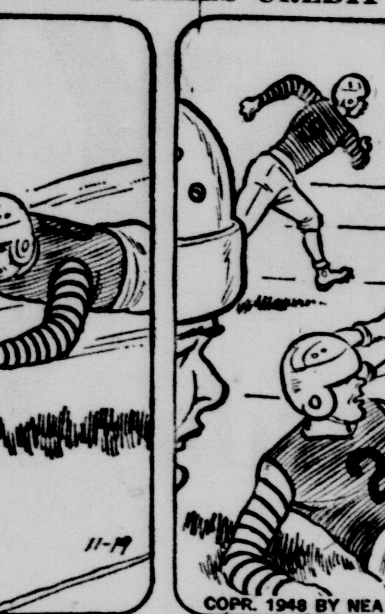
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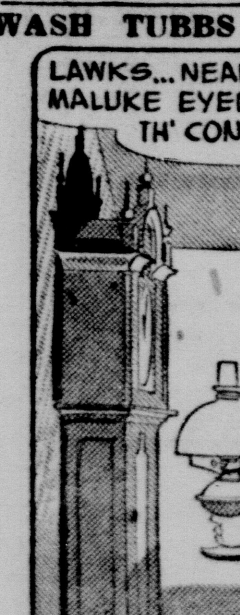
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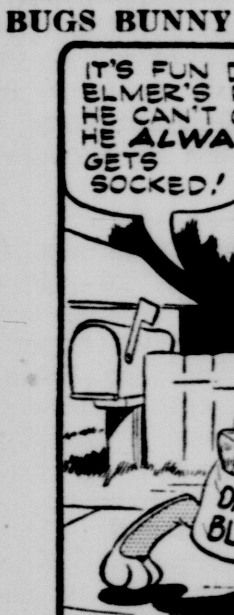
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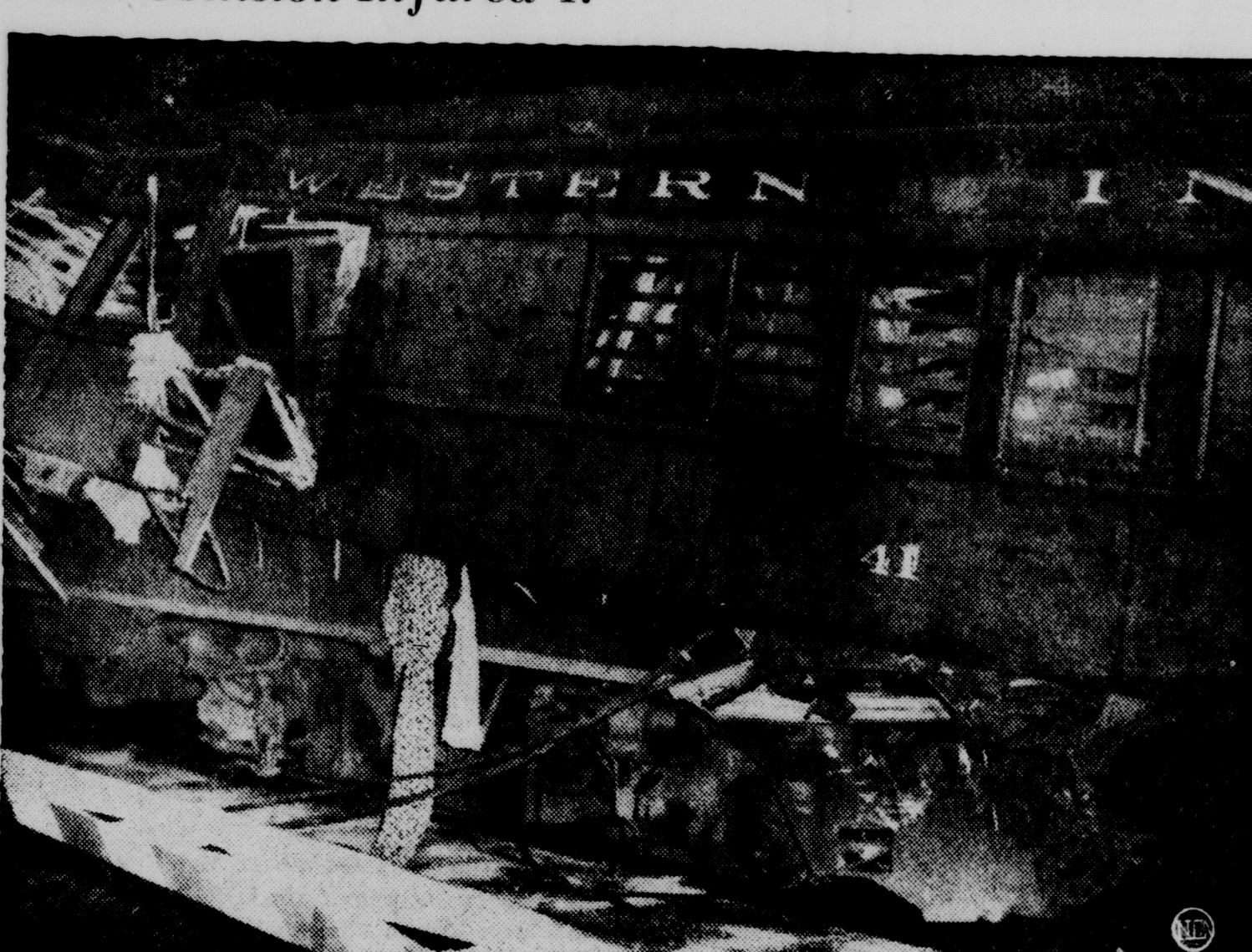
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Train Collision Injured 47

 After a collision in which 47 persons were injured, the Diesel-powered locomotive of a Chicago and Eastern Illinois streamliner lies telescoped into the rear baggage car of an empty commuter train of the Chicago and Western Indiana railroad at Dolton, Ill. Two garments from the baggage car dangle from the debris while other articles of clothing and merchandise were scattered along the track. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Sedalian in Sendai, Japan
 With the Airborne Division in Sendai, Japan, Private Harvey F. LaPlant, 20 year old parachutist of Sedalia, Missouri, now serving with the 11th Airborne Division, has recently returned from the Division Training Area, where he participated in simulated combat problems on Squad Firing, Platoon and Company level. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. LaPlant of 1206 East Broadway, Sedalia, Missouri. Pvt. LaPlant enlisted in the Army in September 1947 at Boston, Mass., and completed his basic training at Fort Dix, New Jersey. Upon his arrival in Japan he volunteered for parachute duty with the 11th Airborne Division and was sent to the Division Training Center to qualify as a parachutist. Upon completion of a rigorous two week course at the Division Training Center he received his parachutist wings and became eligible to draw an extra \$50 per month as jump pay. He is presently assigned to Hq. Co. 2nd Bn. 188th Parachute Infantry Regiment and is performing the duty of a machine gunner of the 188th Parachute Infantry Regiment.

Granted A Divorce
 Norma Jean Morris was granted a divorce from Emil R. Morris, Jr., by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman in circuit court, Thursday. She was also granted the restoration of her maiden name, Norma Jean Neidholdt.

Curtailed Recruiting
 Information from the U. S. Navy Recruiting Headquarters, St. Louis, Commander C. P. Callahan, officer in charge, states that U. S. Navy recruiting will be greatly curtailed for the remainder of the fiscal year 1949 which ends July 1, 1949. The Jefferson City Recruiting Office has been on a quota system since July, 1948, and anticipates a further reduction in quota starting December 1, 1948. One year enlistments remain unchanged however and young men between their 18th and 19th birthdays will still be able to enlist in the U. S. Navy for one year without any trouble if found qualified physically and mentally.

Divorce Is Petitioned
 A divorce suit was filed in circuit court, Thursday by Mildred Louise Lee against John W. Lee, alleging general indignities. The petition states that the couple was married, August 28, 1946, and separated, February 29, 1948. One child was born of this marriage. The plaintiff asks for the care and custody of the minor child, and for a suitable amount of money for the child's support. W. F. Brown is the attorney for the plaintiff.

Operation On Jennifer Jones
 HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 19.—(P)—Jennifer Jones of the movies underwent an operation for appendicitis Thursday and her doctor said she is doing well. She was taken to a hospital yesterday with an acute attack.

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Two Runs Made By Fire Companies
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Increase Rates On Indigent Patients
 ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Nov. 19.—(P)—St. Joseph hospitals are increasing their rates for indigent welfare patients from \$4.50 to \$9.00 a day. It was estimated that the hike will add some \$50,000 to the cost of caring for such patients next year. The city council Thursday appropriated \$3,000 to help welfare board through the month.

Lightning Hits Flue Thursday
 The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Meyers, 900 South Harrison avenue, escaped serious damage, when lightning struck the flue Thursday night, at about 5:58 o'clock. The only damage was a few bricks scattered from the edge of the chimney. When the lightning struck, it caused severe jar and was followed by terrific roar of thunder. A number of persons called the news department of the Democrat-Capital, to ascertain what was responsible for the blast. The fire companies were called.

Fined For Leaving Scene Of An Accident
 Arlie Fohn pleaded guilty in circuit court Thursday to a charge of leaving a scene of an accident. On recommendation of Prosecuting Attorney L. J. Harned, he was fined \$10 and costs. He was charged with leaving the accident scene on November 15 when he was driving a 1934 Chevrolet, and ran into a motor scooter being driven by John Moles.

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Four Are Burned To Death

Tragic End To Them Thursday, 11 Miles North of City; All Were Negroes

Four Negroes were burned beyond recognition about 1:10 o'clock Thursday morning, when the car in which they were riding, was completely demolished and burned on Highway 65 just north of Sedalia.

The dead were identified as: Staff Sergeant Ernest James Stewart, 24, driver of the automobile, 524 North Lamine avenue.

Prof. J. C. Lumpkin, 21, 305 West Johnson street.

William Clement, 22, 112 West Ham street.

The automobile, a 1938 Pontiac sedan, owned by Wilmer Stewart, father of the boy, was identified through the Missouri state license. The boy's father identified his son at the scene of the wreck by a belt buckle.

The father reported his son recently arrived home on a furlough from Camp Stoneman, Calif., and about 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night borrowed his car to go downtown to get some cigarettes and popcorn and that was the last time he saw him. He said his son was to stay until December 15, at which time he was to report back to his camp.

It was believed a fire on the car had blown out and caused it to get out of control of the driver. From a point where it was believed the fire blew out, because of markings on the pavement, it went 402 feet before it came to rest on its top and was at once a raging inferno. After the car went down the car went to the left side of the highway for 123 feet at which point it struck gravel in the driveway of the Lampton filling station, continued on northward, throwing gravel from the drive, across the gravel farm-to-market road for 159 feet. The car then nosed off the highway into a ditch, struck a "ditch stop" and from that point went end over end for another 120 feet.

Gilbert Lampton, 17, a student in the Hughesville high school, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lampton, reported he had arrived at the home about ten minutes before and went to bed. He said he heard the crash, jumped out of bed, went to the window and saw the flaming car up the road. He said he went to the telephone and called the Sedalia police and asked them to notify the state highway patrol.

Beyond Help
In the meantime, Melvin Hermann, John Hagen and Judge Herb Lotz, all of Sweet Springs, arrived on the scene and were the first to the car. They saw the occupants were beyond help and got away from the machine just before the gasoline tank exploded. One member of the party said there appeared to be no life in the victims when they saw them in the machine.

The three Sweet Springs men had been in Sedalia to the wrestling matches and had started for their homes about 1 o'clock.

After Lampton's call to the police, they notified Sergeant Fred Rodecker of the patrol and he went to the scene. He later called the police who in turn called Dr. K. L. Holdren, coroner.

Lampton said that after he had made his call he dressed and rushed to the scene and noticed the large field next to the highway on the Ralph Handley farm was ablaze. He started fighting this fire to keep it from spreading.

Inquest Not Necessary
Dr. Holdren after viewing the bodies and conducting an investigation stated an inquest was not necessary. He said the four could easily have been killed before the car burst into flames, or they could have been knocked unconscious and burned to death. The condition of the bodies was such a post-mortem could not be satisfactorily conducted.

He described the bodies as being burned to a "cinder."

Two of the bodies were taken to the Ferguson funeral home and two to the Alexander funeral home.

A Similar Tragedy
February 18, this year, four other Negroes died as results of burns received when their car crashed into a box car on the Missouri State Fair spur crossing on Highway 50 just west of Sedalia. Two boys were burned to death in the car and two others died in the hospital a short time later that night.

War II Veteran
Staff Sergeant Stewart is a veteran of World War II. He went into the service February 13, 1943 and after three months was sent overseas, seeing service in England, France and Germany before returning to the States in the fall of 1945. He was discharged November 11, 1945 and re-enlisted in a transport truck company, and has been stationed in California.

Car in Which Four Met Death



The Pontiac sedan in which four Negroes died early Thursday when the car crashed into a ditch about 11 miles north of Sedalia on Highway 65 near the junction of farm-to-market roads J and D, and just north of the Lampton filling station. The car is shown where it came to rest after plunging into the air end over end for more than 120 feet distance after hitting a "ditch stop." Fire still burned on the left rear tire. The bodies of the Negroes were still in the car when this picture was taken. (Norbert White Photo)

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Ruth, daughter of Ephraim Eisenberg, a Newark school principal, vanished last July 20 after leaving a Newton, Conn., home where she was employed, Police said they hold no clues to her slayer.

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Chamber of Commerce Feast At Epworth Methodist Church

The annual Chamber of Commerce banquet will be held Tuesday evening, November 30, at 6:30 o'clock at the Epworth Methodist church, Broadway and Engineer, with Dr. Kenneth McFarland, of Topeka, Kas., nationally known public speaker and school executive, to give the principal address. Outstanding as a speaker, Dr. McFarland's talks carry a pleasing blend of information, inspiration and humor. His knowledge and interest in business and industry are such that he is much in demand as a consultant as well as a speaker and his development of the unit plan of school administration has resulted in a well-governed corporation in public education. He is retained as a public speaker by General Motors and was selected from the

Sedalia Youths Take Examinations

The following young men, who were born in 1926, were taken to Kansas City to the Quartermaster Depot for their reinduction examinations: Jess J. Brownfield, Edward J. Schrader, William D. Kemp, Negro; Harry V. McLeister, Ross H. Curry, who was transferred to Wisconsin for his examination; Billy J. McKinzie, Glenn R. Heffinger.

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Because of the outstanding program planned and the limited number who will be able to attend the banquet, reservations should be made early so those desiring to attend will not be disappointed. Sedalia industry and business is invited to make block reservations for their guests and appropriate placards with the organization's name clearly shown will be placed on the respective reserved section. Individual reservations may be made with Mrs. Ike Warren, banquet chairman, of the Chamber of Commerce office.

Not Get Out Says Israel

Flat Refusal On Withdrawal Of Its Troops From The Negev

TEL AVIV, Israel, Nov. 18.—(AP)—Israel tonight flatly told the United Nations it would not get out of the Negev.

The Jewish cabinet's reply to a Security Council order to withdraw Israeli troops to specified lines and create a demilitarized zone in the southern desert was framed after a lengthy session.

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GARDEN CITY, Kas., Nov. 18.—(AP)—A wind-driven snowstorm struck western Kansas and moved eastward today halting highway travel and crippling communications. The weather bureau issued its first livestock warning of the season.

Sixth highway division headquarters here reported that nineteen southwest Kansas counties have no roads actually blocked by snow late today, but visibility due to windblown snow was virtually zero and traffic on all highways was at a standstill.

The highway department requested no one leave Garden City by car. A barricade was set up by the state highway patrol on U. S. highway 50, just west of Garden City to prevent traffic from going in that direction.

Highway crews roamed the roads towing dozens of stalled motorists out of ditches. It was still snowing at Garden City late today. The C. A. A. reported wind strength at 75 miles per hour.

At Dodge City, the wind driven snow was still falling late today and state highway officials advised motorists to avoid trips because of low visibility and slippery roads.

Motor Cars Stalled
One to six inches of snow was on the ground in western Kansas. It was expected to be of great benefit to wheat, the weatherman said, provided the high wind doesn't blow it all off the fields.

Between 25 and 30 motor cars were stalled on U. S. highway 50 at the Kearney-Finney county line today.

Bus and passenger traffic on highways was halted west of Garden City. A bus en route from Raton, N. M., with 18 passengers aboard was held up at Lakin. Joe Fightmaster, the driver, said he was awaiting word on whether to proceed.

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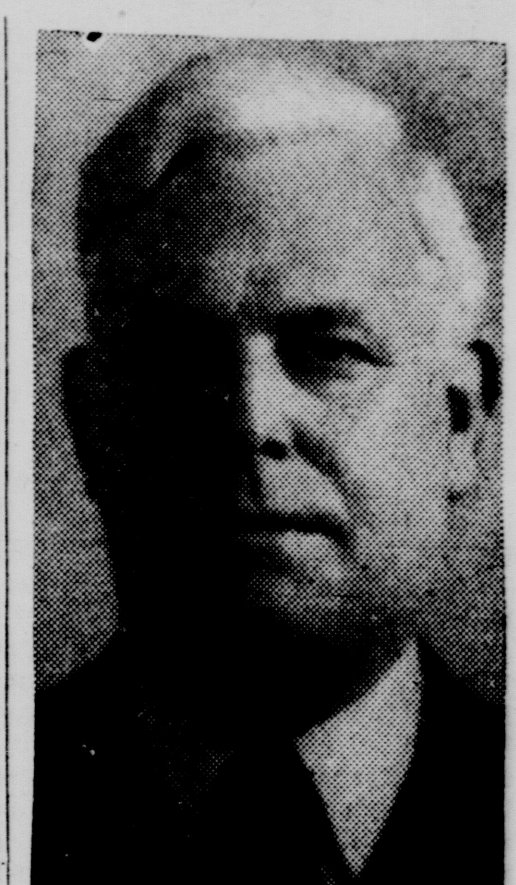
Sedalia's postmaster, Edward P. Mullaley was presented a 40-year membership pin by Lionel G. Cooper, president of Sedalia Typographical Union No. 206, in a brief ceremony at the post office, Thursday afternoon.

Local union men, who at one time were fellow workers with Mr. Mullaley, were there for the ceremony. When he received the pin, he said he had a feeling of self-esteem for the union. A number of those present were Democrat-Capital employees, who started their apprenticeship about the same time as Mr. Mullaley did in 1901.

Mr. Mullaley started out as a printer for the Sedalia Democrat, and later went to Greeley, Colo., where he finished his apprenticeship in 1908.

He came back to Sedalia and worked for several printing companies and later for the Sedalia Capital, where he was employed as linotype operator at the time he was appointed postmaster in 1935.

There are 27 members in the Sedalia Typographical Union, and 16 are employed at the Sedalia Democrat-Capital, John K. Anderson is secretary-treasurer of the local union.



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Stratemeyer Head of New Air Command

Purpose is to Direct Nation's Air Defense

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—(AP)—The Air Force today set up the Continental Air Command to direct the nation's air defense.

Lt. Gen. George E. Stratemeyer was named head of the new command, which will have headquarters at Mitchell Air Force base in New York.

The super-headquarters will have over-all direction of the present Air Defense Command (the fighter force) and the Tactical Air Command (the light bomber and attack-bomber force). The two commands will continue as operating organizations.

The reorganization also will do two other things:

1. Make the six Air Force areas of the United States coincide geographically with the six army commands. This is aimed at better coordination with the army and navy in national defense.

2. Bring training and control of the two civilian forces, the Air National Guard and Air Reserve, under closer coordination through the Continental Air Command and the six Air Force area commands.

Carrying Out Order
This was described as another step in carrying out President Truman's Oct. 16 order to the Air Force to bolster reserve training programs.

Stratemeyer has been head of the Air Defense Command. He was succeeded by Maj. Gen. Gordon P. Saville, Maj. Gen. Robert M. Lee, now deputy commander of Tactical Air Command, will become its head.

Lt. Gen. Elwood R. Quesada, formerly commanding general of the Tactical Air Command, was named last week as special assistant to Gen. Hoyt F. Vandenberg, Air Force chief of staff. He was made responsible for civilian components as the first move in response to the Truman order.

Bothwell Hospital Notes
Admitted for surgery: Sharon Sue Alcorn, 1211 South Lamine avenue, Mrs. Philip Powell of Warsaw, and Mrs. Edward Gerken of Lincoln.

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. May Cummings of Greer, Ridge, Mrs. John Duke-shier, Route 2, Lincoln, and Mrs. Ann Humphrey of Lincoln.

Dismissed: Mrs. Richard Conn and son, 156 South Summer avenue.

Dismissed: Paul Sanders, Florence; Mrs. Nick Hall and twins, 1819 West Main street and Mrs. Charles Siron, 1014 East Eleventh street.

Woodland Hospital Notes
Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Warren Dietze, 605 South Missouri avenue.

Admitted for minor surgery: Charles Roscher, Jr., Sweet Springs.

Admitted for medical treatment: Victor C. Greer, 1011 South Lamine avenue, and Mrs. Newton Ellis, of Walker, Mo.

Making of Sedalia's Holiday Decorations is Underway

Members of the Chamber of Commerce committee in charge of the Christmas street decorations reported at a meeting this morning that the making of the decorations is well underway with many of the cutouts ready to paint.

The cutouts will be made of waterproof pressboard and painted in gay colors with oil paint so that they may be re-used as many years as practical. There will be toy trains, Santa Clauses, teddy bears, candy canes, wooden soldiers and toys of many descriptions giving Sedalia something entirely new in Christmas decorations. These will be provided by the Sedalia retail merchants.

Area to be Decorated
The decoration will extend the

Lightning Hits Flue Thursday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Meyers, 900 South Harrison avenue, escaped serious damage, when lightning struck the flue Thursday night, at about 5:58 o'clock. The only damage was a few bricks scattered from the edge of the chimney.

When the lightning struck, it caused severe jar and was followed by terrific roar of thunder. A number of persons called the news department of the Democrat-Capital, to ascertain what was responsible for the blast.

The fire companies were called.

Victory Claim At Suchow

Report Reds in Surrender or in Beating Retreat

NANKING, Nov. 18.—(AP)—A complete government victory was proclaimed today in the fateful battle of Suchow. Masses of Chinese Communists were reported surrendering or retreating after suffering 130,000 casualties.

Maj. Gen. Chang Liu-Shih, military spokesman, asserted that Communist troops north, east and south of the big base had been broken into small bands and were grounding arms. He listed government casualties at 40,000 men.

More sober opinion among Chinese officials is that the government won the first round in 10 days of bloody combat. The Communists were believed withdrawing to regroup for a probable second assault.

Even the pessimists conceded that Nanking is safe for at least one more month. Optimists declared Chiang Kai-shek's fortunes are bounding after hitting the boggy when it looked as if the day was lost.

The Communist radio, for the first time since the battle broke, made no new claims of victory. As heard by the Associated Press at San Francisco, it was content with rehabilitating events of three days ago.

A new possible trouble spot cropped up as both sides prepared for the next phase of the struggle north of Nanking.

A Shanghai report said a Communist truck column had been spotted moving toward Tsingtao, the U. S. naval anchorage which is being reinforced by 1,250 U. S. Marines from Guam. Tsingtao is 225 miles northeast of Suchow.

Officials in Nanking said they had heard the report. It was suggested the trucks might be headed for the Poshan mines west of Tsingtao to pick up coal.

Grabs Up Steaks And \$25 In Cash
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Nov. 18.—(AP)—When Miss Iva Cole, a cafe employee, unlocked the place this morning she found a burglar gathering up steaks and cup cakes.

"I'm hungry," he told her pleasantly as he carried the loot through the door she had just opened. Later it was found the man also had taken \$25.00 in cash.

Increase Rates On Indigent Patients
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Nov. 18.—(AP)—St. Joseph hospitals are increasing their rates for indigent welfare patients from \$4.50 to \$9.00 a day.

It was estimated that the hike will add some \$50,000 to the cost of caring for such patients next year.

The City Council today appropriated \$3,000 to help the welfare board through the month.

Marriage License Issued
Donald K. Schuerman and Katherine J. Wehmeyer, both of Sedalia.

The Weather
Cloudy, light snow west, with strong shifting winds becoming northerly beginning west early morning and spreading over the state during day. Clearing Friday night. Saturday, generally fair and somewhat warmer. High Friday 32 west; winds diminishing Friday night.

Defense Talk With Truman

Forrestal Has It as Dulles Is Made Head of U. S. Delegation

KEY WEST, Fla., Nov. 18.—(AP)—President Truman and Secretary of Defense Forrestal went into a 45-minute huddle today on diplomatic and defense problems but postponed a discussion of the crisis facing the Chinese Nationalist government.

The defense secretary, fresh from an inspection of the European peace fronts, submitted a ten-page memorandum and reported orally to the President on his observations of the peace outlook in Europe.

Presidential Press Secretary Charles G. Ross said the Chinese situation did not come up and that there was no discussion of Forrestal's pending resignation which Forrestal has said would become effective at the "will of the President."

Presumably the talk covered the European situation, with emphasis on the Berlin blockade.

Returns To Capital
Forrestal flew here for the

Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Taylor, of Windsor, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Hortense Zoe, to Mr. W. D. Cruce, of El Dorado Springs, Mo., which will take place in Jefferson City on Saturday, November 20.

A reception will be held at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon at Whitesides Residence.

Miss Taylor formerly lived in Sedalia. For the past several years she has been in Jefferson City where she has been employed by the State Board of Health.

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Miss Pratt is a graduate of the Goodyear Burlingame school and attended the Syracuse university. Mr. Flessa was graduated from the Missouri School of Mines at Rolla and served as a lieutenant (jg) in the Naval Reserves during the war. He is now employed as an engineer at Electronics Park.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kindie, Route 3, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sue Belle, to Mr. Eugene W. Brockman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brockman, Route 4, Sedalia.

The marriage will take place the first part of January.

Announcement has been made, at a party in Columbia, of the engagement of Miss Dorothy Bacon, of Columbia, formerly of Sedalia, to Mr. L. R. Pepper, of Indio, Calif.

Their marriage will take place next month.

Miss Bacon, who was Home Demonstration Agent in Sedalia, representing the extension department of the University of Missouri, now holds the position of State Club Agent, in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cramer, 920 South Marshall avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, June Evelyn, to Carl Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Ward, 1607 East Seventh street. The marriage will take place in January.

The speaker at Sorosis Monday afternoon at the Heard Memorial Club House will be Ted Egri from the Kansas City Art Institute and School of Design. Mr. Egri, a major instructor in the institute, will give an illustrated lecture on designing with an exhibit of painting and drawing.

Mr. Egri plans to spend sometime in Sedalia as he is interested in painting this section of the country.

A luncheon in honor of the speaker will precede the program.

Mrs. Gordon Stauffer is program chairman.

Mrs. W. M. Johns and daughter, Mrs. C. E. Messelery, entertained at a tea, from 3:00 o'clock until 5:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon at their home, 709 West Broadway, honoring Mrs. E. W. Jones, of Van Nuys, Calif., visiting relatives and friends here and Mrs. Harry Wedgeford, of San Diego, Calif., house guest of Mrs. Charles E. Yeater.

White flowers were used in the dining room while yellow and bronze mums were placed throughout the other rooms of the home.

Assisting the hostesses during the afternoon were: Mrs. Joe Waddell, Mrs. W. F. Keyser, Mrs. P. Dyer, Mrs. W. P. Hurley, Mrs. C. D. Osborne, Mrs. George H. Trader, Mrs. Harry W. Walsh and Miss Laure Jones.

Out of town guests, in addition to the honorees, were Mrs. John W. Hicks and Miss Marian Phipps, of Rhinebeck, N. Y., visiting their sister, Mrs. James L. Collins, of Mrs. Clyde Campbell, Fort Worth, Texas, visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Bloss.

Mrs. Jones is now with her brother, John McClure in Marshall, and will return to Sedalia for a more extended visit this week.

The regular ladies day luncheon was held Thursday afternoon at the Country Club. Winners in mah jong were Mrs. Eugene Walker and Mrs. Victor Scott. Mrs. Carrie Hieronymus was the dinner at bridge. Miss Marian Phipps, of Rhinebeck, N. Y., was winner in Oklahoma.

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The regular Sunday night supper will be held on Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar DeWolf, 503 South Park Avenue, has returned from Columbia, where she attended the inauguration ceremony of Homer Price Rainey, president of the Stephens College, held there Monday and Tuesday in the new Assembly hall, Stephens College Campus.

The program theme, "World Citizenship—A Challenge to General Education." Mrs. DeWolf represented the Sedalia Stephens College Club.

While in Columbia Mrs. DeWolf was house guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Morris, formerly of Sedalia.

Mrs. O. L. Pfunder, 105 South Prospect avenue, entertained with a birthday dinner Saturday, November 6, from 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock honoring the eighth birthday of her daughter, Patricia.

Games were the afternoon's recreation, with awards going to Larry Smith, Jr., and Ronald Hughes, and Norma Benz. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and candy were served.

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Among Patricia's gifts were those from children unable to attend the party including April Burton, Malendia Cook, Dickie Gorst, and Bobby McFarrich.

THE Past Presidents group of Sedalia Garden Club, will meet Friday, November 19 at 1:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. W. Johns of 2400 South Kentucky avenue. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. R. R. Higleyman, Mrs. Peter Hoffman, Mrs. J. C. Saunders, Mrs. A. H. Bratten, Mrs. T. E. Gasperson.

An election of officers will be held.

The Sedalia Stephens College Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Oscar DeWolf, 503 South Park Avenue, Tuesday evening, November 16 at 7:30 o'clock.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ditzfeld, of Sweet Springs, was the scene of a family dinner Sunday when relatives gathered there to celebrate the birthday of their daughter, Patricia. Sharing honors with Mrs. Ditzfeld were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Garrett of Sedalia, who also had birthday anniversaries on November 6 and 7.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allcorn and children of Osawatomie, Kas.; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gregory and children, of Shawnee Mound; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Allcorn, Mrs. Carrie Reed, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Garrett, Miss Esther Pepper, all of Sedalia, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ditzfeld.

The home of Mrs. Alice Klein, 114 East Fourteenth street, was the scene of a wedding dinner Sunday, November 7 in honor of her daughter, Vera, who was married to Cpl. Delbert Williams Jr., of Kansas City, Saturday, November 6 in Kansas City.

The table was covered with a white linen tablecloth and a large centerpiece of pink and white chrysanthemums. In the center of the table was a three tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Those present were: Cpl. and Mrs. Delbert Williams Jr., Mrs. Welthy Anderson and son Wesley, Mrs. Maude Butterworth, Mr. and Mrs. John Beall, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Neice, Mrs. Edith Homan and sons of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. James Williams and children of Kansas City and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Klein and daughter of Ottaville.

Cpl. Williams is stationed at Fort Riley, Kas., and the bride is employed at the General Hospital in Kansas City as a student nurse. The couple received many beautiful and useful gifts.

The Loyal Sewing Club will meet in all day session on Friday at the home of Mrs. J. L. Hiltenburg of Tower street road. A contributive dinner will be served at noon.

During the business session, officers for the coming year will be elected and installed in their different offices. Needle work will be done during the social hour.

The Past Noble Grands of Loyal 260 held their regular meeting at the Odd Fellow Hall on Friday, November 12. A contributive dinner was served at noon with service for twenty-four.

The annual Christmas party will be held at the next meeting on December 10. A Christmas dinner will be served and the customary exchange of gifts. The meeting will be at the Odd Fellow Hall.

Mrs. Royal Cowger, Miss Rose A. Heuermann and Miss Peggie Preisendorfer were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Cowder, 303 West Fifth street, in honor of Mrs. William Cooper, who before her marriage was Miss Evelyn Beach. Bouquets of fall flowers were arranged throughout the home. The evening was spent playing Liverpool rummy, with awards going to Mrs. John Preisendorfer and Mrs. A. R. Beach. The bride's gifts were attractively arranged in front of the fireplace.

Refreshments of fruit salad, individual cakes and coffee were served to the following: Mrs. William Cooper, Mrs. A. R. Beach, Mrs. Robert Seelan, Mrs. John Preisendorfer, Mrs. Leroy Nichols, Mrs. J. E. Ruddick, Mrs. Robert Neumeier, Mrs. N. B. Patton, Mrs. Tompkins, Mrs. Roy Cowger, Mrs. Mary Alberson, Miss Rae Carolyn Garrett, Miss Shirley McKelvey, Miss Peggie Preisendorfer and Miss Rose A. Heuermann. Those unable to attend,

but who sent gifts were: Mrs. Charles King, Mrs. Ester Ekinberry, Mrs. Hugh James, Mrs. Elizabeth Vanderlinden, Mrs. Charles Yeager, Mrs. Bernard Hill, Miss Virginia Biery and Miss Ethel Stark.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rodenbach, Route 5, Sedalia, observed their Golden Wedding anniversary Sunday, November 7, at their home with a family dinner followed by open house during the afternoon.

Miss Katie Wendleton and Mr. Rodenbach were married 50 years ago in Morgan county and have one daughter, Mrs. Emmett Painter of Lebanon, who assisted them in entertaining.

Dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Neitzert and Mrs. R. C. Kenenbly of Syracuse; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Houchen, Eva Wayne and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rodenbach, Linda Kay and Carole Chilcoat, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bremmer, Elmo and Monty, Robert Bremmer, Mrs. W. D. Bremmer, Mrs. J. R. Wagenknecht, all of Florence; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bremmer and family of Smithton; Mr. and Mrs. E. Norman Webb and David, Rev. and



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Ice cream, coffee and cake was served during the afternoon to the following callers: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lewis, Mrs. Nona Claggett, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wherley, Mrs. Lizzie Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Norris, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lane, Fern and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley, Allen Porter, Eula Williams, Mrs. Tobie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Baughman, Walter Banning, Mrs. Clarence Dow, Miss Orene Parker, Mrs. W. J. Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Light, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fowler, Josephine and Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williams, Miss Rose Fowler, B. U. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Slatsky, Mrs. John Maxey, Mrs. A. L. Mudd, Mrs. Iva E. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Martin, Mrs. Alice Tyler, Diane and Linda, Kathryn Gallagher, Mrs. W. P. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crawford, Donald Dean and Dale Edwin, Mrs. Mary Maddox, Mrs. Margaret Logan, all of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. John Earl Farris and Mary Beth and Mrs. Ida Painter, of LaMonte; Mrs. W. H. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hood, of Smithton; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith, of Hughesville; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brever, Mary Lee and Dickie, of Beaman; Mrs. Mary N. Richardson and Wade Richardson, of Glensted. The latter attended the wedding 50 years ago.

Mrs. Harry Wahnenbrock and Mrs. Harry Hopkins proved. Servings were Mrs. Jewel Woolery, Mrs. Mary Maddox, Mrs. John Kelley, Miss Fern Lane and Mrs. R. Lane. Ice cream was dipped by John Earl Farris and Dale Lane.

Members of Violet Camp 607, Royal Neighbors of America, moved to La Monte Wednesday and were guests in the home of their Oracie, Mrs. Floyd McKeehan.

At noon a chicken pie dinner was served, which all contributed to which being service for seventeen. The members were pleased to have with them during lunch hour their deputy president, Mrs. Juanita Dow, who was seriously ill the past several weeks.

Each guest was presented a souvenir by the hostess, who recently visited in Garden City, Kas., each receiving a small pitcher engraved in gold lettering.

The next meeting will be at the Maccabee Hall on Friday evening, November 26.

Mrs. John W. Welch and Mrs. Edna Leffler entertained Sunday morning with a breakfast and miscellaneous shower given at the Welch home, 1112 West Seventh street, honoring Miss Hortense Taylor, of Jefferson City, formerly of Sedalia, who will be married November 20 to W. D. Cruce, of Eldorado Springs.

Lighted white tapers were used throughout the home and the dining table, set for 12, was centered with an arrangement of pink and white roses and white chrysanthemums. Card tables in the living room were also set for 12 and placecards marking the places for the guests. Favors were pink roses. A two-tier wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, was on the buffet and was cut by the bride.



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and served to the guests. Following the breakfast Miss Taylor was invited into the living room where she was presented with a shower bouquet with verses attached to the ribbons revealing where the gifts were hidden about the home.

Guests included: Miss Taylor, her mother, Mrs. Joe Taylor, of Windsor, her sister, Mrs. A. J. Barnett, of Des Moines, Ia., Mrs. W. D. Hughes, Mrs. Billy Hughes, Mrs. Louis Hughes, and Miss Mary Hughes, all of Windsor; Mrs. Bud Arnold, of Trenton; Mrs. Opal Riley, Mrs. Eunice Scott, Mrs. F. C. Royce, Sr., Mrs. Louise Mason, Mrs. Charles Hanley, Miss Tracy Berry, Miss Pearl Rose, Miss Phyllis Bush, Mrs. John R. Murrell, Mrs. William Bond, Mrs. Harvey McFarland, Mrs. LeVina Mason, Mrs. Beulah Chandler and Miss Freda Mueller.

Service Circle, Chapter No. 57, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. F. Neiman, 1416 South Carr avenue. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. H. W. Bolch, Mrs. T. W. Aulgar, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson and Mrs. J. R. Smetana.

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ning of November 4, with a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Charles Dickerson, Mrs. Frank Schouten and Miss Louise Still at the Dickerson home, 1314 South Sneed avenue.

Guests were employees of the Montgomery Ward store where Miss Wehmeyer is employed in the office. They include Miss Wehmeyer, Mrs. Pearl Richardson, Mrs. Conrad Lang, Mrs. Joe Payne, Mrs. Marvin Dollinger, Mrs. Nola Howe, Mrs. Alex Gates, Miss Ilene Wagner, Miss Erna Kasak, Mrs. Kay Petley, Miss Hazel Hurt, Mrs. Edwin Patrick, Mrs. Carl Meyer.

Those unable to attend, but who sent gifts were Miss Fern Bowers, Mrs. William Moser, Miss Pearl Rose, Mrs. Pearl Henley, Mrs. Wealthy Cole, Mrs. Maxine Fullerton, and Mrs. R. M. Rash. Games were played during the evening with awards going to Mrs. Carl Meyer, Miss Hazel Hurt, Mrs. Kay Petley and Miss Erna Kasak.

Following the games Miss Wehmeyer was taken into the dining room where a large umbrella was suspended from the ceiling with long strings from the umbrella attached to the gifts on the table below. The bride-to-be had to unravel the mass of strings until she found one that led to a gift. Then she would open that gift and continue unraveling until she had opened all of her gifts.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served by the hostesses.

On Saturday evening November 6th, the following ladies, Mrs. H. S. Ramseyer, Mrs. A. W. Oehrke, Mrs. L. E. Wagenknecht, Mrs. Kalo Monsee and Mrs. Harry Henderson entertained with a bridal shower for Miss Milly Jean Monberg at the Ramseyer home. The home was decorated with autumn flowers. The dining room table was covered with a lace cloth and had a large bowl of autumn flowers of various kinds and colors. Ivory tapers in crystal holders were held throughout the evening, with awards going to Mrs. Harry Pace, Mrs. Henry Schlottzauer, Mrs. G. W. Meyer and Lois Hildebrandt. At a late hour refreshments were served to the following: The bride and her mother, Mrs. Earl Monberg, Mrs. A. G. Bolte, Mrs. Henry Schlottzauer, Mrs. Golden Eakin, Mrs. H. D. Monsee, Mrs. L. E. Hoerhann, Mrs. Harry Pace, Mrs. H. L. L. May, Mrs. Mayme Silken, Mrs. Melvin May, Mrs. B. F. Mahnkens, Mrs.

C. J. Bluhm, Mrs. Lester Curtis, Mrs. R. R. Luetjen, Mrs. Leonard Hoehns, Mrs. Ira DeHaven, Mrs. Shelby Monsee, Mrs. Lottie Starke, Mrs. Joe Monsee, Mrs. Bernice Sharper, Mrs. Hoderick Demand, Mrs. L. D. Hoehns, Mrs. Gene Bremer, Mrs. Frank L. Griffin, Mrs. Louis Demand, Mrs. Sheldon Smith, Mrs. Harry Pace, Miss Bonnie Sharper, Miss Lois Bremer, Miss Nancy Monsee, Miss Eva Pace, Miss Clara Farnet, Miss Verona Neumeier, Miss Clara Lindemann, Miss Barbara Pace, Miss Lorene Hoerhann, Miss Lois Hildebrandt, Miss Phyllis Monberg, Mrs. Joe Frowenfellet and Mrs. G. W. Meyer and daughter Linda of Sedalia and Mrs. Ardee Bane of Ottaville. Those unable to attend but who sent gifts were Mrs. T. H. Ferguson, Mrs. Tillie Wagenknecht, Mrs. E. E. Holtzen, Mrs. J. H. Pace, Mrs. Clyde Merk, Mrs. Frank Monberg, Mrs. Elroy Lemke, Mrs. B. B. Dhrig, Mrs. Orville Demand, Mrs. Audrey Neumeier, Mrs. E. R. Knox, Mrs. Jack Kellerman, Mrs. J. K. Lacey, Jr., Mrs. L. V. Jackson, Mrs. Arni Siegel, Mrs. William Yeager, Mrs. Cleo Sutherland, Mrs. Melva May, Miss Joan Daniels, Miss Norma Demand, Miss Marian Demand, Miss Mildred



Miss Dorothy Bacon, of Columbia, formerly of Sedalia, who will be married next month to Mr. L. R. Pepper, of Indio, Calif.

Bluhm, Mrs. George Fisher, Mrs. Raymond Boulware and Mrs. Omer Cordery of Syracuse, H. Peace of Kansas City, Mrs. D. Wells of Fayette and Mrs. William Spears of Ottawa, Kas.

Mrs. J. E. Coates, 1102 East Broadway, entertained the Ladies of the B. of L. F. and E. Thursday afternoon with a 1:00 o'clock dessert luncheon honoring her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Richard Coats, who before her recent marriage was Miss Dolores Taylor.

The party was a miscellaneous shower for the bride, and the afternoon was spent in playing games. A silver basket was piled high with small, attractively wrapped boxes and the winner of each game was asked to take a package from the basket. If the box contained a gift the winner kept it, but if it was empty she selected a gift from the shower gifts and presented it to the bride. At the end of the game all of the small awards received by the guests were also presented to the bride.

A color scheme of orchid and white was carried out in the shower decorations.

Guests were Mrs. Richard Coats, Mrs. E. L. Ringen, Mrs. William Griessen, Mrs. C. M. Brownfield, Mrs. Dick Armstrong, Mrs. Virgil Tucker, Mrs. Robert Forsberg, Mrs. Charlie Spillers, Mrs. Raymond Hunt, Mrs. Jay Nicholson, Mrs. Louis Yunker, Mrs. Roy Ramsey, Mrs. Harry Fry, Mrs. Chester Long, Mrs. John D'Brien, Mrs. Troy Teeter, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. Pete Karen and Mrs. Russell Overfelt.

Church News

Mrs. W. A. Green's Circle of M. E. church met October 9th in Mrs. Green's home, Route 2, in an all day meeting, with 32 present. Mrs. Maud Burlingame was assisting hostess. Visitors were: Mrs. Baum, Mrs. Sisson, Mrs. Dolie Alcorn, Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. Carrie Reed, Mr. Green, Mr. Hall, Mrs. Nathan Beals and daughter, Connie, Jackie Hayes and Gary Dyer. Silent prayer was held for all the ill and shut-ins. Devotionals were given by Mrs. Maud Burlingame.

A contributive dinner was served and games were played. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. J. F. Kirkhart and Mrs. A. F. Shore in December.

The Friendship Class of the Fifth Street Methodist church held its regular monthly meeting at the church on Thursday afternoon, November 11.

Plans were completed for the bazaar and luncheon to be held at the church on Wednesday, December 1. After the business session, a social time was enjoyed, during which delicious refreshments were served. Hostesses were Mrs. D. C. Davis, Mrs. S. U. Collier, Mrs. Mattie Austin, Miss Scotty Tabler and the president, Mrs. R. E. Taylor.

The following circles of the First Christian church will meet Thursday, November 18th, at 2:00 o'clock: Circle No. 3, Mrs. Rolla Lopp, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. A. F. Gorrell, 819 South Vermont avenue.

Circle No. 4, Mrs. Foster Scott, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. W. T. Ridgeway, 319 East Seventh street.

Circle No. 5, Mrs. Ivan Berry, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. Pat Warren, 1702 West Broadway.

Circle No. 6, Mrs. Earl Wingate, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. D. W. Scott, RFD 4.

Circle No. 7, Mrs. A. H. Wilks, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. J. H. Wilks, 1112 West Seventh street.

Garden Club Circles Met Last Week

Sedalia Garden Club, Circle No. 1, met at the home of Mrs. Geo. V. Sneed, 114 West Broadway. A dessert luncheon preceded the meeting. Assisting hostesses were: Mrs. C. A. Neel, Mrs. E. S. Lutgen, Miss Mary Ann Schlaifer.

Mrs. J. E. Golladay, president, presided with Mrs. Irwin Raut giving the devotionals. The new year books were presented by Mrs. John Bohon, program chairman. Plans for the Christmas party were made. Miss Lella Shortridge will be house hostess for this occasion. Plans were made for a shower of gifts for the Melita Day nursery to be presented that day. Miss Shortridge gave a report of the regional meeting at LaMonte, October 20. Circle No. 1 won second ribbon on scrap book at that meeting.

Mrs. F. B. Leach, west central regional director, told of the improvements that have been made through efforts of Federated Garden clubs at Floriculture building at the Missouri State Fair.

John Vandekamp was guest speaker. He spoke on bulbs, giving many suggestions. He said that hyacinth and tulips should be planted six inches deep, from October 1 to December. They may be mulched with straw or leaves. Early in the spring it should be moved. Mr. Vandekamp noted especially lovely tulips; "The Queen of Pink" and "The Queen of Blue"; "King", "City of Holland Yellow" and many others. He also spoke of the culture of daffodils and other bulbs. He announced that a new movie is being made of these flowers and is planning to show pictures to all Sedalia circles and clubs in the surrounding communities.

Judges were: Mrs. H. L. Hill, Mrs. J. E. Bagby, Nettie Howe and Mrs. Lutgen. Mrs. Howe announced the awards: Mrs. Bohon, first African violet; Mrs. Hildebrandt, first on cactus and foliage; Mrs. W. G. Borne, first on Marigolds; Shaggy mums, Mrs. Bohon first; and Mrs. F. M. Nicholas, second. Mixed arrangement, Mrs. Hildebrandt, first; White Mums, Mrs. Nicholas, second and Mrs. Hildebrandt, first; yellow mums, Mrs. Nicholas, first on yellow and pink. The Button variety, Mrs. Bohon, first.

Sedalia Garden Club, Circle No. 2, met at the home of Mrs. E. C. Thompson, 403 South Park avenue, with Mrs. H. C. Feuers and Mrs. Nolan Bricken as assisting hostesses.

After the regular business session, Mrs. Leo Harned gave an interesting program on "Growing of House Plants." Not special but daily care is an important factor in beautiful house plants. She also gave hints on growing African violets, begonias, vines and harder-to-grow varieties such as Cyclopedia and Azaleas.

Circle No. three, Sedalia Garden Club, met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Orender, 1301 West Broadway, with Mrs. G. V. Jones and Mrs. W. E. Dohel as assisting hostesses.

A 1:00 o'clock dessert luncheon was served to 22 members.

Mrs. W. O. Stanley, circle president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. A. M. Hoffman, program chairman, introduced Mrs. George Landis, who gave an interesting talk on "House Plants."

Blue ribbon awards went to Mrs. G. W. Chambers, Mrs. C. L. Carter and Mrs. G. V. Jones.

Circle No. four of the Sedalia Garden Club met Friday afternoon at Oakdale farm, with Mrs. Ida Harriman, with Mrs. J. H. Hutchinson, Mrs. Frank Coffman and Mrs. J. H. Hosford as assisting hostesses. A dessert luncheon was served to about 30 members and guests.

Arrangements of fall flowers added to the attractiveness of the home.

Mrs. George Lively presided over the meeting in the place of the circle chairman, Mrs. Harriman.

Mrs. Roy Strain was introduced as a new member.

Mrs. C. F. Scotten introduced Mrs. R. R. Higleyman, who gave a talk on "House Plants," the theme of the month. A round table discussion followed.

The December meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Fred Kueck, at the time the annual luncheon will be held. There will also be a gift exchange and members will bring white gifts for the Melita Day Nursery.

Members of the Garden Circle No. 5 met Friday at the country home of Mrs. Norton Heffernan.

Mrs. J. F. King and Mrs. Clayton Mitchell assisted Mrs. Heffernan with the program. Mrs. W. W. Murphy and Mr. Lynn Russell.

At 1:00 o'clock a dessert luncheon was served by the hostess, Mrs. P. L. Strole, president, presided during the business meeting. Reports were made by the committee chairman and plans

Carl O'Neal, 214 West Broadway, with 21 members present. The meeting opened with the Lord's Prayer, and Mrs. Robert Brown gave the devotionals.

Rev. H. U. Campbell, guest speaker, gave a memorial address for the late Rev. E. L. Knight.

The hostess was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. Robert Long, Mrs. Virginia Evans and Mrs. Hoadley Smith.



Five generations of the Pace family are pictured together. Mrs. Rose Ann Pace, 91 years old, of California, Mo., left holding old. Seated beside Mrs. Pace is her son, G. W. Pace, of Napton. Standing left, is Mr. Pace's daughter, Donna Ann Murphy, five weeks old. On the right is her daughter, Mrs. Esther Murphy, wife of C. L. Murphy, of Kansas City, mother of the baby. Mrs. Pace has resided part of the time the past several years in Sedalia with her daughters, Mrs. H. E. French and Mrs. T. A. Haeslip.

Club Supper At Red Cross Club House On Wednesday

The annual club supper of the Helen G. Steele Music Club will be held Wednesday evening at the Heard Memorial Club House at 6:15 o'clock. Reservations for the supper should be made with Mrs. John Petty, phone 2694, not later than Monday evening.

The club supper is given annually for the benefit of those members who are unable to attend afternoon programs, but is not limited to those members. All members of the club are invited. Those unable to attend the supper are asked to attend the program following the supper.

Mrs. Everett White and Miss Eva Evans are co-chairman of the program. Assisting Mrs. White and Miss Evans are Miss Margaret O'Connell and Mrs. Frank Coffman.

A feature of the evening's entertainment will be group singing led by Mrs. E. F. Yancey, with Miss Lillian Fox at the piano.

The following members of the club will appear on the program: Mrs. Frank Evans, Mrs. Leonard Peabody, Mrs. Percy Metcalfe, Mrs. Homer Keith, Miss Lillian Fox, Mrs. Thomas Croxton, Miss Jerry Teufel and Mrs. Duane Ewing.

Junior Red Cross members may feel that they have a definite part in a peace plan. The Gift Boxes promote a better feeling between the American Junior Red Cross members and the children of Europe who receive the boxes. The Chapter office hopes that the boxes will be sent in to the office as soon as possible.

Thursday evening, November 11, Michael Wolfel completed an advanced First Aid class. The following persons completed this course: Miss Berenice Glasscock, Mrs. Joan DeFoe, Stansel Devoe, Mrs. W. E. Bruce, W. E. Bruce, Basil U. Bruce, James Asken and Arthur Bethke, Mrs. Lawrence Wolf, Mrs. Mary Huston, Miss Agnes Quinn and Mrs. A. A. Studebaker have also completed the Advanced course and these twelve persons will take the Instructor's course in January. Ernest Vornbrock, First Aid, Water Safety and Accident Prevention representative from Anna Office, was in the office of the Pettis County Chapter Monday and Tuesday. He was well pleased with the work of the First Aid Chairman Michael Wolfel and his committee.

Receiving Bond



Joe Ryan, 308 South Grand avenue, (right), is shown receiving from H. W. Zimmerman, zone manager for the United Motors Service, division of General Motors corporation, Kansas City, a \$250 face value U. S. Government Savings Bond, third national award in a Delco battery dealer and fleet contest. The first award was won by a St. Louisan, the second by a salesman in Tulsa, Okla. The purpose of the contest was to sell Delco batteries to persons not previously using them. The Ryan is an employee of the Brown Automotive Supply Co., in Sedalia. (Padgett Photo)

Moving To Minnesota

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Shackelford, of 910 1/2 West Third street, are leaving Sedalia to make their home in Minnesota. Saturday they shipped their household goods, by truck, to Le Roy, Minn., and they will go there and to Northfield for a visit of several weeks at the former place with their son, Ralph Shackelford, and family and at Northfield with their daughter, Mrs. W. M. Anderson, Mr. Anderson and family.

On January 1 Mr. Shackelford will be associated with his son in the conduct of a poultry and produce business at LeRoy which was established several years ago.

Traffic Case

'Phone Service Now Available In Cars, Trucks

Sedalia Station Designated WXSX In Operation

Friday marked the beginning of mobile radiotelephone service for the Sedalia area which makes telephone communication available to moving automobiles and trucks. T. M. Mullaly, manager for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here, announced that the Federal Communications Commission has authorized the telephone company to begin commercial service from its radiotelephone station designated WXSX.

Sedalia's radiotelephone station is a link in the chain of stations across Missouri along U. S. Highways 40, 50, and 66. Stations are already in operation in St. Louis and Kansas City. Besides the new station here, other radiotelephone stations begin operation today at Fulton, Springfield, and Joplin. Still another station at Rolla is scheduled for operation sometime next year.

Wire-Radio Transmission

Mullaly explained that Sedalia's new mobile system makes it possible for occupants of a suitably equipped vehicle to make and receive telephone calls to and from any Bell System or connecting telephone.

He described the service as a combination of wire and radio transmission. Voice signals coming from a telephone in an office or a home are carried by wire to the telephone company's radiotelephone broadcasting tower located a mile and a half north of town. There they are sent by radio to the receiving set in the automobile being called.

Signals from the automobile's transmitting set are not so strong as the land transmitters. Therefore, before mobile service can be extended any great distance beyond Sedalia, special receiving antennas must be located along the principal highways well beyond the city limits to pick up these weaker signals and send them by wire back to the telephone office. One such remote receiver at Aulville and another at Warrensburg will be in service soon. Two more at Tipton and at the junction of Highways "K" and U. S. 40 are being planned.

Special Operators

Mullaly said the calls to and from vehicles will be handled by special mobile service operators at the long distance switchboard in Sedalia.

Two types of mobile service are being offered by the telephone company. One, the general or dispatching service, permits two-way conversation between an equipped vehicle and another party. All equipment is furnished by the company which charges \$25 for installing it in an automobile or truck. The monthly rental charge is \$15 and subscribers to this service will have a minimum monthly message charge of \$7.

The second type of mobile service available is the signalling service. Mullaly explained that this service, as its name implies, only signals the occupant of the automobile. By prearranged agreement, the occupant upon seeing the signal, which tells him he is being called, may drive to the nearest telephone and call back to his office or home.

Charges Made

The installation charge for this signalling service equipment is \$12. The monthly rental charge is \$7.50 and the monthly minimum message charge is \$5. If a subscriber has more than one vehicle equipped with this signalling service, the charge is \$2 for each additional unit per month.

The telephone instrument inside the vehicle is similar to a regular handset telephone and is mounted on or under the dashboard. When a call comes in, a bell on the vehicle's set rings and a light goes on. If no one is in the car to receive the call, the bell will stop ringing, but the light would remain on as a signal to the driver that someone tried to reach him. When he returns to his car and sees the light, he can call the operator and be connected to the party that called him.

Where Installed

The mobile transmitting and receiving units may be located in the trunk of a passenger car or in any convenient place in a truck. The five-foot antenna mounted at the side of the vehicle is used both for sending and receiving.

Equipment for the signalling service differs from that of the general or dispatching service in that there is no telephone handset and no transmitting unit. The dashboard unit consists of the same bell and light signalling arrangement, however.

Mullaly stated that additional information about the new radiotelephone service may be obtained at the telephone office.

Asks \$15,000 In Suit For Damages

A damage suit asking for \$15,000 was filed in circuit court Friday, by Daisy Van Meter, a minor, age 18 years, through her mother, Mrs. E. W. Wright, her mother's friend, against the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad Company, a corporation.

The petition states that on or about October 24, 1947, the plaintiff's husband came to his death at the grade-crossing of state highway 2, at Leeton, Mo., through the carelessness and negligence of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad Company, a corporation of Kansas.

Brother Surprises His Sister After 40 Years Absence

Mrs. Wilma Clark, 613 South Engineer avenue who is associated with her son, John Miller, in the upholstery business, almost lost her temper one day the past week when a man walked in her shop with a rather mean attitude. Mrs. Clark attempted to wait on him but the more she tried to be nice the more he tried her patience. He did everything to make anyone in business mad and when she was so boiling inside she couldn't be nice any longer she ordered him out of the shop and threatened to call the police.

"I want to show you my card," said the man.

"I don't want to see your card," she retorted, "I don't care who you are."

"You might feel differently if you saw my card," insisted the man, holding out the card.

It was her brother.

Mrs. Clark glanced down at it

and then had the surprise of her life. She did feel differently. The man was G. R. Parsley, of Leavenworth, Wash., her brother whom she had not seen for 30 years.

Being in business for himself, Mr. Parsley knew exactly what customers can say to make business people angry and Mrs. Clark thinks he must have saved up all of his pet peeves to try them out on her.

Enroute here from Washington, Mr. Parsley stopped for a visit with another sister, Mrs. Will Ford in Boulder, Colo., whom he hadn't seen for 40 years and then visited his brother, C. M. Parsley, in Knob Noster. He saw him 23 years ago.

He asked his brother not to tell Mrs. Clark he had been to his home.

Mr. Parsley expects to spend some time here visiting his relatives.

Chest Drive To Be Closed By December 1

The Community Chest Board met last Wednesday at the Chamber of Commerce offices and decided to wind up the drive by December 1. The total to date is \$16,194.84.

The board was optimistic over the possibilities of making the original quota of \$18,500.00. With the contributions yet to be contacted, the balance of \$2,305.16 should be attained, the board decided.

Individual board members have taken the balance of the business firms that have not contributed and are going to contact them personally.

C. W. Stephenson, chairman of the drive, has again asked those firms and individuals who have not given, to assist by having their money in as soon as possible.

Additional Subscriptions:

\$140.00—Anonymous.

\$60.00—Looney-Bloss Lumber Company.

\$40.00—Goodrich Silvertown.

\$32.00—Schien Truck line employees.

\$31.00—Sedalia Industrial Loan.

\$28.00—Fox and Liberty theatre employees.

\$25.00—Full Cry magazine, Up-town theatre, City Firemen, Frank Hayes.

\$18.75—Puckett's Cafe.

\$17.00—Business office Bell telephone.

\$15.00—Finance Outlet, St. Francis Hotel, Askew Motor Company.

\$12.50—Shaw Bros. Music Company.

\$11.00—Midwest Warehouse employees.

\$10.00—Dr. J. W. Boger, Dr. D. P. Dyer, Norman Stevens and Company, Sedalia Appliance Co., Painters, Decorators and Paper-hangers Union, Bungalow, Baughman Sales, Sedalia Refrigeration Company.

\$8.00—Sedalia Industrial Loan employees.

\$6.25—R. E. Gerster.

\$6.00—A. B. Potts.

\$5.00 and under—Robert Mullen Insurance, Mrs. Ivan Berry, Jenkins Insurance, Woodmen of the World, Berry Feed and Produce, Fred Hulst, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Martin, Helen Sifton, Ivan Berry, Fish's Beauty Shop, Western Union, Claude Boul, Cummins Bros. Market, John Menefee, International Union of Operating Engineers, Agnes Quinn, Girl Scout Troop 26, Hildebrandt Cafe employees, Sedalia Refrigeration employees, Solon's grocery, Earl Steele, C. A. Wilde, Dr. O. J. Durnell, E. H. Milton and Sons.

War Dads Have Good Meeting

One of the best attended meetings of the American War Dads and Auxiliary have had in several months was held Friday night at the K of P Hall.

E. W. Schultz, president of Chapter 13 of the War Dads, presided over the business meeting. A past president "pin" was presented to Phil R. Burford by Judge J. V. Kesterson.

A report was given to the War Dads and Auxiliary of the Mari-gold Tag Day, held Saturday, November 6. The proceeds cleared amounted to \$303.

A committee was appointed for a Christmas party to be held at the next monthly meeting, December 10. The party will be for the Gold Star children of Pettis county.

Mrs. Phil Burford of the Auxiliary was appointed chairman, and H. J. Kuhlman was appointed for the War Dads to help organize the Christmas party.

After the business meeting, a joint social hour and refreshments was enjoyed.

Sedalia to Have Christmas Carol Festival on Dec. 10

Sedalia's first annual Christmas Carol Festival by the combined junior and senior choirs of Sedalia will be held Thursday evening, December 16th, in the First Christian church. Plans were formulated and discussed at a dinner meeting in the Palm Room on Thursday evening which was attended by fourteen organizers and choir directors of the city. Dr. Delbert E. Johnson of Kansas City, director of the Queen City Choral, presided over the meeting.

The Christmas Carol Festival idea originated in Detroit and has grown with each annual festival. Kansas City and Leavenworth have similar festivals and St. Joseph is combining a presenta-

The Tigers Made a Come-Back in Final Quarter for Victory

The Smith-Cotton Tigers and Missouri Military Academy displayed one of the hardest fought games of the season, when the two teams clashed in a Tiger homecoming game under the lights of Liberty Park, Friday night.

M.M.A. scored the first touchdown in the third quarter, but their lead was soon overcome by the conditioned Tigers in the final quarter, when excellent kicking with and against the wind, and a forceful drive, sent the Tigers down the field for two touchdowns to end the game with a 7 point lead over M. M. A.

Co-captains Dick Abbott and David Cannon of the rank and file team, and Bob Shultz and Billy Sid Kennon of the Tiger team, flipped a coin for that all important kick-off.

Bob Ray kicked the ball to Mexico, and O'Toole was the first to get a feel of the pigskin and carried it to his own 46-yard line. Mexico showed their power from the start of the game, when after two first downs, the team had advanced from their own 46-yard line to the Tigers' 10. M. M. A. was held by the Tigers, who took over on the 10-yard line. Shultz only needed two plays for a first down. The Tigers were held by the fighting Cadets, forcing them to kick from their own 23-yard line.

When Dowdy kicked from the 23-yard line, no sooner had the ball been punted, Myron Herrick kicked at the other end of the field like a bolt of lightning to make the tackle on the 30-yard line. On the fourth down, M. M. A. kicked, which was received by Dowdy who ran it back to M. M. A. 40-yard line.

Passing Drive by Tigers
A long pass was fumbled, but a short shuffle pass, and another pitch from Dowdy to Pummell was good for a 20-yard gain, during a series of passes by the Tigers. The ball was then advanced to the 18-yard line where it stayed when M. M. A. took over just before the first quarter ended.

During the second quarter, the teams took their turns at playing four and sometimes eight downs, but during this time, neither team threatened to score. At one time during the second quarter when Sedalia had possession, Shultz sailed the ball for a 20-yard gain when it was caught by Bill Ray. Several other passing attempts were used, and just before the half ended Shultz heaved a long pass intended for Dowdy, but it was intercepted by Dick Abbott, who was brought down on M. M. A.'s own 13-yard line just before the first three-quarter half ended.

Jane Mickens Crowned Queen
Between halves, Miss Jane Mickens, picked as homecoming queen by the Tigers, was crowned by Billy Sid Kennon, who was in uniform, but did not play due to injury. The 1948 Queen had as her attendants, Betty Jean Bradley, and Norma Jean Walz. They were driven to the ceremony in a 1948 convertible Pontiac, driven by John Brown. Seventy-two band members and 64 Spitz girls, under the leadership of J. T. Alexander, entertained the crowd by forming a large M in honor of Missouri Military Academy. The band played "Avalon," a beautiful number by Al Johnson and Vincent Rose. The band then formed an S for Sedalia, and played "Hail Alma Mater."

Sedalia received the kick-off opening the second half, and the ball was carried to their own 30-yard line. Dowdy was forced to kick after three unsuccessful downs. M. M. A. took their turn at

kicking the ball out of enemy territory after failing to make a first down. Dowdy received the kick, fumbled the ball but recovered on his own 11-yard line. The first down brought a 5-yard gain, the two more downs a first and ten, advancing to the 25-yard line. Two passes in enemy territory were thrown, the second being intercepted by M. M. A. that paved the road for the first touchdown.

13-Yard Pass Score Touchdown
M. M. A. took over on the Tigers' 25-yard line, gained 10 yards. A smash through center brought the ball to the 13-yard line. Murray threw a pass to Abbott that put the Cadets out front by a score of 6-0. The important extra point was made through center, leaving the score marked 7-0 when the third quarter ended.

Tigers Even The Score
The Tigers went down the field in the fourth quarter, picking up ample yardage, and displaying plenty of kicking power. All the way from the 40-yard line, the Tigers kept advancing toward their goal line. Finally the ball reached the 15-yard line, then Shultz carried it to the 5-yard line, Bob Ray to the 1-yard line, and then Ray made a hard drive through center for the Tigers' first touchdown. Ray again took the ball through center for the extra point but was called back due to a penalty against M. M. A. The extra point was finally made by Shultz passing to Dowdy, tying the score 7-7.

More excitement was added to the game, when Ray kicked off to Mexico for a touchback. The referee carried the ball to M. M. A.'s 20-yard line, where after three unsuccessful downs, M. M. A. kicked the ball. Monness was in like a streak of lightning to block the punt and recovered the ball on M. M. A.'s 20-yard line.

Tigers Score Second Touchdown
With only lean time left to play, the Tigers took the ball on the 20-yard line, and advanced the ball to the 5-yard line. The flag was dropped on the play, and Sedalia took a 5-yard penalty for being off sides. Shultz regained the penalty, and on the next play took the ball through center for a touchdown. Bob Ray ran the extra point.

Sedalia kicked off to M. M. A. and after four plays, the ball was turned over to the Tigers, who had control of the pigskin when the game ended, leaving the final score 14-7.

Starting Line-up:
Sedalia: Ray, QB; Phillips, LG; Bob Monness, LG; Delbert Bryant, RG; Billy Potter, RT; Myron Herrick, RE; Marvin Beismen, QB; Bob Shultz, LB; Bob Gowsky, RB; Bob Root, RB; Whitehead, Referee; Jack Cunningham, Umpire; and Woodrow Gaba, head linesman.

Raytown to Meet Tigers In Bowl Game

Nine Straight Wins For Opponents While Tigers Lost One Tilt

Raytown high school football team will meet the Smith-Cotton high school Tigers in the Show-Me Bowl game, Friday night, November 26. The game will be played in the Hickman high school stadium under the sponsorship of the Columbia Junior Chamber of Commerce. Game time 8 o'clock.

Contracts Are Signed
Formal signing of the contracts of the two schools was completed Saturday afternoon just before the Missouri-Colorado football game. Coach Ted C. Chittwood, of Raytown and Coach Ralph "Stub" Dow of Smith-Cotton signed the contracts for their schools, in a brief ceremony at the Chamber of Commerce office in Columbia.

Raytown has a clean record for this season, having won nine straight games. Their season closed a week ago, while the Smith-Cotton season will not come to an end until next Friday night when the Tigers play North Kansas City high school here. Raytown won the title in the Midwest Conference.

Defeated William Chrisman
Among the victories on the Raytown schedule was that over William Chrisman of Independence by a score of 7 to 0, while the Tigers dropped their game to Chrisman by a score of 6-19 ten days ago.

Smith-Cotton became the host in the Show-Me Bowl by virtue of being the champions of Central Missouri. The Tigers won all of their five Conference tilts.

The standing of the Conference:
W. L. T. Pet.
Smith-Cotton 5 0 1 000
Jefferson City 3 2 000
M. M. A. Mexico 2 2 1 000
Hamball 2 3 400
Kempers 1 3 1 250
Columbia 0 5 000

It will be the second year for the Show-Me Bowl contest which is expected to become one of the most popular high school bowl tilts in the Midwest.

Officers of the Junior Chamber of Commerce checked many of the high school grid teams throughout Missouri before announcing the opponent for the champions of the Central Missouri Conference. Raytown's record for the year for games played was outstanding, hence the bid was given them first and immediately was accepted.

Raytown, a suburb of Kansas City, has one of the snappiest football squads in the Western section of the state and from reports should be plenty of competition for the Tigers.

Change Date For
Cancer Clinic
The Cancer Clinic will be held on December 2 at the Bothwell Hospital Nurses' Home, instead of on November 25 which is Thanksgiving Day.

Call Two More Men
For Induction
Miss Grace Scott, secretary of the local county draft board received a call from Jefferson City for the induction of two men from Pettis county, November 30. Miss Scott announced that the two picked for induction, did not necessarily mean they will enter service, because some disqualification may cause them to be rejected when they take their final examinations.

There is a total of 129 draft boards in Missouri, and out of these, 280 men will be inducted, November 30, making an average of a little over two men from each draft board to report.

BIRTHS
Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schultz of Pearl River, N. Y., November 9 at New London, Conn. Mr. Schultz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schultz, 1218 South Osage avenue.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Merriott, 914 1/2 West Fourth street at 2:45 o'clock Saturday morning at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Seven pounds.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tucker, 15435 Regina, Allen Park, Mich., at 4:00 o'clock Saturday morning at the Wyndott hospital of Lincoln Park, Mich. The baby weighed six pounds and has been named Catherine Lucille Tucker, for her two grandmothers. Mrs. Tucker was formerly Miss Jean Haeslip, of this city and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Haeslip, 522 East Booneville street.

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Missouri Pacific Shop Notes

W. P. Miller, machinist, and Mrs. Miller, 652 East Broadway, have as their guests, their son, Kenneth, Mrs. Miller and their daughter Sharon of Davenport, Iowa. Kenneth, formerly employed at the local shops, is now employed with a construction company in Davenport.

L. L. Studer, district storekeeper at the local shops, was a business visitor in St. Louis last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Looney, 1004 West Tenth street, had as their guests over the past week-end Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman of Washington, Ill. Mr. Looney is employed in the reclaim plant.

Missouri Pacific locomotives 1566 and 1721 were returned to service last week after receiving class 5 and class 3 repairs respectively.

Roger Stratton, apprentice instructor with the Railway Educational Bureau of Omaha, Neb., is at the shops assisting the apprentices with their lessons.

Roy Duncan, pipefitter, was a business visitor at the company hospital in St. Louis last week.

Harold Paull, employed with the Missouri Pacific at DeSoto, Mo., shops as fabricating foreman, is spending the week-end in Sedalia. Mrs. Paull spent Thursday and Friday with her husband and they both returned to Sedalia Saturday.

E. W. Carver, machinist, resumed his duties last week after being off the past two weeks receiving medical treatment in the company hospital in St. Louis.

Mrs. W. P. Pinkepank and son Raymond, machinist apprentice, were called to Jefferson City last week account of the serious illness of a sister Mrs. Pinkepank.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Duncan will return home today from a two weeks vacation spent in Hot Springs, Ark., and visiting relatives and friends in Little Rock and St. Louis. Mr. Duncan is general locomotive foreman at the local shops and will resume his duties Monday.

Dale Patton, machinist apprentice, has been transferred to position of machinist at the diesel shop in St. Louis and entered upon his new duties last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Anderson spent the past week-end visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. Anderson is employed in the locomotive department.

J. P. Bernard, machinist, last week re-entered the company hospital in St. Louis for medical treatment. Mr. Bernard recently underwent a major operation at the hospital there. He is getting along satisfactory.

J. P. Maroney, machinist, who in October underwent two major operations at the company hospital in St. Louis, has returned to his home here and is getting along satisfactory.

W. I. Smith, wheel gang foreman, will resume his duties Monday, after a two weeks vacation.



Dorothy Ann Bethke and Phyllis Stout, are shown as they stood at the Fox theatre lobby last Tuesday, during Girl Scout Week, depicting Citizenship, one of the organization's projects. The girls and idea changed daily, as the calendar display in the background showed. (Lehmer Photo.)



Honoring the founder of the Girl Scouts of the United States of America, a new three cent stamp, green in color, for the "Girls in Green" is now on sale at the local postoffice and sub-stations. It features the portrait of Juliette Gordon Low, who founded the group in 1912.

First issue stamps were sold in Savannah, Ga., on October 29.

When President Truman, on July 3, signed the Congressional Bill authorizing a three-cent commemorative stamp in honor of Juliette Gordon Low, national recognition was given to the woman whose courage, vision and energy produced so great a contribution to American life. Mrs. Low becomes one of the few women in the history of the United States for whom a commemorative stamp has been issued. It is a great honor to her memory and to the movement which she founded.

We are asking the Girl Scouts of Sedalia and their friends to buy Girl Scout stamps. Every Girl Scout will, of course, want to buy at least one Juliette Gordon Low stamp as a souvenir. Leaders, please notify your girls the stamps are now on sale.

November is registration month for all Sedalia Girl Scouts. The 1948-1949 Registration Party will be held at the Fox Theatre, 10:00 A. M., Saturday morning November 20. Girl Scouts will procure tickets from their leaders. The leaders of Brownie and younger intermediate troops will please see their Scouts come in troops. Your help will be needed at the theater and you will enjoy the picture too.

The Christian Rural Overseas Program is meeting with good response in Pettis county, according to Irwin Raut, county chairman.

Nine of the 17 townships are already perfecting their organizations and the others are expected to do so within the next week.

Due to a number of circumstances Pettis county is not in a position to complete shipment of corn before Thanksgiving, which was the nationwide plan, but the delay has worked to advantage, according to Raut, since practically all the corn will be gathered by the dates set for loading and the corn will be dry enough to shell, which is an important feature, since only shelled corn can be shipped.

Just Town Talk

A WELL KNOWN SEDALIA GENTLEMAN WHO BRAGS ABOUT HIS HUNTING DOG WHICH REALLY IS A GOOD ONE RECENTLY TOOK THE DOG TO THE COUNTRY WITH HIM THE GENTLEMAN TOOK A SHOT AT A SQUIRREL IN A TREE AND BELIEVES HE MAY HAVE WOUNDED IT SLIGHTLY ANYWAY DOWN THE TREE CAME THE SQUIRREL LANDING ON THE DOG'S BACK THEN THE TUSSELE BEGAN

AND THE HUNTER HAD TO CHOKE THE SQUIRREL TO KEEP IT FROM KILLING HIS DOG AND THAT SO THEY TELL ME IS A TRUE STORY I THANK YOU

THE NOVEMBER ISSUE OF THE DEALER MINDED NEWS, publication by Ford company, has a picture of a Missouri mule riding in a trailer pulled by a tractor which was in the parade on "Scudda Hay Day."

"Is the Ford tractor replacing the mule?" read the article which accompanied the picture. "The picture here might indicate that such is the trend. The mule was hauled by the tractor in a parade held at Sedalia, Mo., during the World Premier of the movie, Scudda Hoo, Scudda Hay, featuring the famous Missouri mule. Sedalia is the mule center of the state. The Dearborn Dealer at Sedalia is Scudder Hull, and because of the peculiar coincidence in names he was appointed to head the civic committee at Sedalia preparing for this celebration."

Following the meeting a line party was held at the Fox theatre. The next meeting will be held Wednesday night, November 17.

The St. Aloysius club held its regular meeting on Wednesday night, November 3, with Margaret Karigan, presiding.

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Sedalia Youth Is In Japan

With the Eighth Army in Kumamoto, Kyushu, Japan, Oct. 15, 1948—Private Gordon E. Huffman, son of Mr. Elot C. Huffman of 1913 South Marvin, Sedalia, Missouri, recently arrived at the 24th Infantry Division. The famed 24th Division, popularly known as the "Victory" Division, now occupies the entire island of Kyushu, third largest and southernmost of the Japanese home islands.

Pvt. Huffman, upon his enlistment in the service, went to Camp Stoneman, California, Port of Embarkation for overseas assignment. Arriving in Japan in September of 1948 he joined the 24th Infantry Division, where he is now having basic training.

Prior to his enlistment, he attended the Smith Cotton High School.

Loading Dates For Corn to be Sent Abroad

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home to review the entire peace outlook with the president at the White House Monday, the day after his flight back from his two weeks vacation here.

Reporters tried to pin the defense secretary down on whether he would talk to the President about Berlin or China. He said, "Nothing specific."

No Honors On Arrival

Forrestal was met by three navy captains at the air station. There were no honors. The president's own army, navy and air forces aides were away in Havana with Mrs. Truman and Margaret.

The president at the same time appointed Benjamin Cohen as the chief United States delegate to the UN general assembly in Paris to replace Republican Warren Austin, who has returned to the United States because of illness. During Austin's illness, Dean Rusk, a state department official, will serve in Cohen's place as alternate delegate.

Dulles served as foreign policy advisor to Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, GOP presidential nominee, whom Mr. Truman defeated in the November election.

Marshall Returning to States

Secretary Marshall is returning to the United States for a full review of the peace outlook with President Truman at the White House Monday.

Cohen is a former counselor for the state department. Meanwhile, Secretary of Defense Forrestal flew here for a talk foreboding possibly historic diplomatic and defense steps to preserve the peace.

The ominous march of events in China and the threat of further trouble in Europe and elsewhere furnished a backdrop for his talk with President Truman at the temporary "White House."

Forrestal had lunch with the president. While others were in on the luncheon, the two were to confer separately.

The luncheon guests included Paul Fitzpatrick, Democratic state chairman for New York; Senator Pepper (D-Fla.); Florida governor-elect Fuller Warren; Rep. George Smathers (D-Fla.) and Leonard Hicks, Chicago hotel man.

The developing diplomatic crisis transformed this naval submarine base from a presidential vacation retreat into a conference site upon which the basis for a restatement of American international policy may be laid.

Back to Washington Sunday Mr. Truman is flying back to Washington Sunday for a full scale review of the peace outlook with Secretary of State Marshall and roving economic cooperation administration ambassador W. Averell Harriman.

His conference today with Forrestal is expected to be preliminary to his White House survey of the entire diplomatic picture.

Developments yesterday overshadowed speculation about when Forrestal might leave the cabinet. His departure from Washington was preceded by his announcement that:

1. Marine forces are to be increased by 1,250 men at Tsingtao, China, where 3,000 are now stationed.

2. Two transports are going in to Chinese ports to remove Americans from the path of advancing Communist forces.

3. He assumed the matter of re-arming western Europe "will come under a series of things I will take up with the president."

4. He will remain at his post as long as the president wants him and that he is "at the service of the president."

Forrestal just returned from an inspection of European trouble areas, said his department has prepared a budget for the three armed services within the fifteen billion dollar limit set by Mr. Truman and the budget bureau.

Asked whether it would mean any serious change in the navy's big carrier program or air forces expansion to 70-group strength, he replied:

"Well, there will be adjustments. All of these programs, of course, have to be fitted economically to a fiscal pattern. The precise details of the results of this budget I haven't yet fully examined but that will be available."

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Four Are Burned To Death

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fornia. His furlough was the first in a year and a half.

Surviving him are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Stewart of the family home, two brothers, Floyd Stewart, 38, Kansas City, and James Lloyd 3 years old of the family home.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 o'clock Saturday morning at the Memorial Baptist church, with Rev. Shelby Spriggs of Marshall, officiating.

Burial will be in the Bunceton cemetery. The body will remain at the Ferguson funeral home until time of the services.

Former Music Teacher

Prof. Lumpkin is a former music teacher at C. C. Hubbard high school, having taught in the school during 1946. He came to Sedalia from Palm Beach, Florida, just before the school year started in 1946.

He was completing plans for the opening of a music studio on North Osage avenue. During the past several months he has been giving private music instructions. Surviving is his grandmother in Palm Beach and a brother who resides in Hartford, Conn.

Lumpkin's body will remain at the Alexander funeral home until the arrival of his brother from Connecticut.

Cooked At Coffee Shop

Eli Ousley is the son of Silas F. Ousley, 804 North Monticue avenue. For some time he has been a cook at the McKenzie Coffee Shop on East Third street.

Surviving are his father and two sisters, Ella Ousley Smith of near Longwood, and Helen Ousley, of Kansas City.

Funeral services for Eli Vernon Ousley will be held at 1:00 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Jones Holy Temple, Monticue avenue and Morgan street with the Rev. B. Jones to officiate.

Burial will be in the Finnis Creek cemetery in Saline county. The body will remain at the Ferguson funeral home until time of the services.

Worked At Shine Parlor

William Clement is the son of Mrs. Nola Smith, 112 West Ham street. He had been working at the S. Smith Shoe Shine parlor on East Third street.

Those surviving Clement are; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, two brothers, Louis and Charles Smith of the home, two sisters, Josephine Smith of the home and Mrs. Helen Carter of West Virginia; two aunts, Mrs. Veneta Johnson, Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Eula Stevens, Washington, D. C.; one uncle, Mr. Eugene Crouch of St. Joseph, Mo., and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Crouch of Indianapolis, Ind. and a number of other relatives.

Graveside services will be held Friday morning at 11:00 o'clock at the Glenwood cemetery with the Rev. Harley Wilson officiating.

The body will remain at the Ferguson funeral home until time of the services.

Dispute Fortunate For One Marion Lyles had been with the four. When they decided to drive to Marshall, the car stopped at the Jerry Brown filling station for gasoline. The boys had a dispute and Lyles was driven to his home and let out of the car.

According to Lyles, who reported to the police, they left Sedalia shortly after 12:30 o'clock Thursday morning.

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Side View of Death Car



Side view of the Pontiac sedan in which four Negroes met death, about 1:10 o'clock Thursday morning, when a tire on the car blew out causing the driver to lose control and it crashed into a ditch and turned end over end for more than 120 feet and burst into a raging inferno. The car had been pulled right-side up by the wrecker, so the bodies could be removed. The flames still came from the car after they engulfed the driver in the front seat. (Norbert White Photo)

Time Off Job To Mrs. Meyers

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—(P)—Mrs. Bennett E. Meyers, wife of the former air force general now in prison, has been working as a model in an exclusive fur store here.

A store official said, however, the blonde, one-time movie star, who has three children had left today because of sudden publicity about her job.

"She's gone home for a month or so," he said. "Maybe she'll come back."

He declined to tell where her home is.

Mrs. Meyers got the job several days ago under the name of Ila Rhodes, which she used on the screen. Store officials did not know the model was Mrs. Meyers until yesterday when they questioned her.

Meyers is serving from 20 months to five years in prison after being convicted of inducing an associate to commit perjury in a congressional investigation of his war contract deals.

Last month Mrs. Meyers sold her Long Island home for \$53,000. The federal government has filed income tax liens totaling \$500,000 against her and her husband.

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Near Decision as To Jack Benny

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—(P)—The Columbia Broadcasting system tonight appeared to be all set to take Jack Benny away from the National Broadcasting Co. in a multi-million dollar deal.

And the radio comedian was all set to get a basketball of cash and a big tax saving in a transaction under which he would "sell" his services as a business to the network on a lifetime basis. Trade circles estimated the amount at close to \$4,000,000 but a source close to the negotiations called the figure too high.

Just one week ago, NBC over whose network Benny now broadcasts for \$25,000 a week, was reported to have a similar deal with Benny practically sewed up. CBS said then it had dropped out of the battle of dollars for Benny.

But today NBC said it now had discontinued negotiations with Benny. CBS declined to comment but neither did it deny trade reports that it was near the signing stage with the comedian. A spokesman said a statement on the situation might come soon.

Earlier this year CBS got the comedy team of Amos 'N' Andy, long a fixture on NBC, in a similar transaction said to have involved \$2,000,000.

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Comic Books In the Library Of Congress

Law Requires Copyrighted Books To Be Filed

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—(P)—Know where one of the country's biggest comic book collections is located?

It's in the Library of Congress. This is not to imply that the country's senators and representatives spend their time perusing the comic books.

In fact, quite the contrary, Archibald Evans, chief of the serial section, says that so far as he knows, no member of congress ever has called for a single comic book.

This collection comes about through a law which requires a publisher to file a copy of his magazines with the Library of Congress if he wishes them copyrighted.

Most comic magazine publishers at one time or another have filed copies with the library. Most of them send copies regularly.

Right now, by actual count, the current file of comic magazines shows 315 different titles—which means there are at least that many different ones available for junior to buy.

That number doesn't include dozens of possibly hundreds, that may have bloomed and died after a few months.

The library's comic magazines aren't out where the public can lay hands on them; but they are available to any one who asks—just like any other reading material.

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Congressmen may not read them but somebody does. They offer a perfect solution to parent-researchers who can't find baby sitters. Researcher's prior goes to the library and does research. Researcher Junior goes to the library and thumbs through the comic books.

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